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VISIT OF MINISTER CHOW TO MIKADO ROUSES SUSPICION

Peking Says He Only Takes Congratulations; Arranged Long Ago

YUNNANESE FIRM

Ignore Appeals to Submit, Even When Assured Of Forgiveness

Ruster's Pacific Service to The China Press January 5, - Chow Tze Minister of Agriculture, leaves board an allied ship.

The Top Tapan, to congratulate An official Note s Mikado on his coronation, on all of Yuan Shih-k'al

the change in the form of Government has ordered the arrest of the Chancellor in charge of the marking in the form of Government. The Chinese Government decided to sait the the conclusion of the Coronation ceremonies in Japan before

The bureau for the preparation of the Grand Ceremony has notined the various official organs that, although the Imperial calendar has been adopted under the name of Hungfisien, no allusion should be made to the Empire of Chunghus at made to the Empire of Chunghus at the section of the German. ent and, in dealing with foreign

nfu again indicate that the rebels

funnan. The various groups of in officials in Peking have telegraphed to their fellow provincials, urging them to induce the rebel eaders to give up their attempt to restore the republic and promising them immunity from punishment, their appeals have apparently met with no result.

War councils are being held almost dally. The plan of campaign is unknown, but it is stated that the Government has drawn up a satisfactory scheme. Troops continue to be despatched southwards. It is Nanyuan are also being sent to

Canton, January 5.-It is unlikely that Canton will be depleted of subjects at Salonica. first, General Lung Chai-kwang, with twenty regiments, was ordered to proceed thither, but it is feared that withdrawal of the troops will ender Canton unsafe.

It is reported that the Cantor branch of the Bank of China ha en ordered to destroy all unissued as and to transfer its specie to the foreign banks at Shameen, for

The newspapers are not accepting the name of the new reign and year Hunghsien, but, instead, are adopting the Western calendar.

of Agriculture. Chow Tze-chi, has railway line. A timely discovery en ordered to go to Tokio, on the prevented the escape of 15th inst., as special delegate of the prisoners. Chinese Government, in order to in the name of President Yuan Shihk'ai, about his coronation, handing him at the same time the highest ese decoration. Semi-official Chinese circles, however, believe that different reasons.

Government Decides Not to Move Arsenal

After his tour of investigation of the Shanghai, Hanyang and Tehchow ment. He declares that there is every opportunity for China to her own country and that there is no need for her to buy in foreign

The government is pleased with the report, and as a result Admiral (Continued on Page 2)

ALLIES INTEND RIDDING SALONICA OF SUSPECTS: 1.000 UNDER ARREST

Will Send Consuls Under Safe Conduct To Switzerland; More Reprisals

RUSSIAN SECRET MISSION

Arrival of Grand-Duke Boris On Important Business

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Paris, January 4.—A telegram from Salonica states that arrests of enemy subjects continue. The allies have decided to clear the town of all suspects, who are being placed o

An official Note states that the enemy Consuls arrested at Salonica will be given safe conducts to Many rumors are circulating as to the arbitrary and filegal act of Bulgaria against the French Consulting of the archives in the Legation at Sofia, the French Government has ordered the arrest of the rumors are probably due to

sending a special envoy, owing to the lack of accommodation at Kyoto.

The bureau for the preparation of a considerable stir. a considerable stir.

> is excited at the arrest of the German Consuls at Salonica. The Bulgar Cabinet has decided to retaliate arresting the officials who rem Bulgaria after the departure of chiefe of the British, French

Servian Legations. states that the Porte has protested through the American Consul at Salonica. It is stated that the Porte will take reprisals against the subjects of the allied Powers, in the event of the steps taken by Greece not leading to the release of the Ottoman official.

Athens, January 4.—The Bul-Consuls at Salonica by the Anglo understood that two aeroplanes from French troops. Greece protested

Captured Tsingtau Sapper Burrows 47 Foot Tunnel in Vain

Planned Escape to Canton-Kow loon Railway; Timely Discovery Is Made

Hongkong, January 5 .- A German sapper from Tsingtau, who was among the prisoners of war interned here, tunnelled about 47 feet in the Peking, January 4.—The Minister direction of the Canton-Kowloon

THROUGH A COLLISION

s's trip is to be undertaken for Sunk In The Mediterranean As Result of Accident With British s.s. Bonvilston

(Reuter's Agency War Service) London, January 4.—The P. &. O. s.s Geelong (7.957 tons) was sunk in the arsenals, Admiral C. P. Sah made a Mediterranean owing to a collision very satisfactory report to the with the British steamer Bonvilston

Causes Stir

garians have imprisoned the British and French Vice-Consuls at Sofia, as reprisals for the arrest of enemy against the arrests and has now sen written protest to the Entente against the arrest of certain Hellenic

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

(2,866 tons).

SMALL EXCHEQUER BONDS (Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, January 3.-The scheme for issuing Exchequer bonds in small nominations comes into force on the

Pope Pleads For Early Peace; Creates Seven New Cardinals 'An Early Peace, But Just and Durable and Not Favoring Only One Group of Belligerents'-POPE BENEDICT XV.



POPE BENEDICT XX

STPETERS & VATICAN GARDENS und, and insets of Pope Benedict XV and Cardinal Gasquet of England,

DUTCH FIGURE WAR WILI BE ENDED NEXT AUTUM

Nations Will Be Financially Exhausted By Then, Says Hollander

Shanghai after completing a tour around the war-torn world. He visited many of the countries in the fight and several that are not. In all of them he found the same sentiment. Everywhere men said to him "If only this war was over!"

It was the same in Germany success but where the pinch of short rations is beginning to be seriously felt. Bankers, business men, laborers-all wished that the war

"But," said the tourist, ninute you mentioned negotiations for peace, or concessions from both sides for the sake of peace, they changed their tune. Men of each nation wanted peace, but only peace with a complete victory for their side. England is ready for peace when Germany is beaten to her knees; Germany is perfectly willing to quit fighting when she has her enemies defeated and secured the

freedom of the seas." The Hollander left Shanghai on March 20, 1915 and got back December 21. He went to San Francisco, crossed the United States, sailed passed through Germany and returned to Shanghai via the Trans-Siberian railway. He was in Germany during the last of August.

Cypical Thoroughness "One has less trouble getting into Germany," said he, "than into England. In England a foreigner has to report every day. In Germany you when you arrive, but you can remain as long as you like without being bothered. For this reason, vacation in Germany.

search that is conducted with the tions of each, and eliminating those 31 foreigners. typical efficiency and thoroughness not allowed to take in a scrap of paper. If you have a box of matches in your pocket it is taken from you in your pocket it is taken from you, London, January 3.—Mr. Thomas and the labels carefully scratched Gibson Bowles, as a Conservative off before it is returned. Hotel and steamer stickers are scratched from (Continued on Page 2) Contests the vacancy caused at St. George's, Hanover Square, by the peerage conferred on Sir A. Henderson, Bart.

Italian Newspaper Sharply Resents Statement That Holy See Is Hindered by Restrictions which are unjust and impossible, and

Rome, Dec. 6.-The two principal points of the Pope's speech at the secret Consistory this morning were 1. His expression of a desire that there should be "an early peace, but just and durable and not favoring only one group of belligerents."

2. His statement that "notwithstanding the goodwill of the public authorities, the state of war has rendered still more evident the bnormal situation of the Holy See."

The speech also contained references to Papal sympathy for the "poor Armenians" and other sufferers from

The Giornale d'Italia sharply on the Pope's renewed statement that the Holy See is hindered by restrictions. The paper points out that the Austrian Cardinals, who were conspicuously absent from the Consistory, could have come with no more difficulty than Cardinal Hartmann Their absence must therefore be due to prevention by the Austrian Government, which did not desire to give the Italian Government the opportunity of proving once more its loyal interpretation of the Law of Guarantees and its

the spiritual work of the Church. The Papal suggestion that all the peace is hardly less unfortunate, since the first condition of a lasting peace is the restitution of property stolen by pirates and burgiars and recompense as far as possible to their outraged

victims What the Pope Said

Rome, Dec. 6.-The Pope's words

"To prepare such a peace as is ardently desired by all humanitynamely, a peace which will be just and lasting and not favorable to one group of belligerents only, which can really lead to a happy result, which has register when you leave a place, and already been tried and found good under similar circumstances, and which, as we suggested in our original letter to the Powers, must consist of quite a few tourists from The an exchange of ideas both direct and Netherlands spent their summer indirect, accompanied by a voluntary spirit and a serene consciousness "When you cross the German setting forth with completeness an frontier you are subjected to a clearness the full value of the aspira-

retaining, with equitable recompens when necessary, those which are just as in all human controversies where the contending parties themselves seel a settlement, that each group of beiligerents should cede on some points and renounce some hoped-for advan tages, and that each should make these concessions with a good grace even if it costs some sacrifice, in order not to assume before God and man the enormous responsibility for the terrible slaughter which is without previous example and which, if continued, may prove to be the beginning of a decadence from that degree of prosperous civilisation to which Christianity has lifted the world,-

Exchange Vatican Mystery

Rome, Dec. 6.-The following semiofficial statement is issued here: The Pope's words about Ambassadors and Ministers accredited to the Holy See having been obliged to leave in orde to safeguard their personal dignity must have been the result of untrue information given to his Holiness

The fact is that the representatives of the Germanic Empires, in spite of readiness even in war time to facilitate the most explicit and precise assafeguarding of their personal security belligerents must make sacrifices for and of the rights and privileges accorded them by law, decided to leave Rome of their own accord.—Reuter. Seven New Cardinals

Rome, Dec. 6.-The Pope at today' Consistory announced the creation of the following six new cardinals:-Giulio Tonti, the Papal Nuncio at

Alfonso Mistrangelo, Archbishop of

Florence. Giovanni Cagliero, the Papal Nunci of the Central American Republics. Andrea Fruhwirth, the Papal Nuncie at Munich.

Raffaele Scapinelli, the Papal Nuncio at Vienna, and Giorgio Gusmini, Archbishop of

Bologna. His Holiness announced the creation

of a seventh cardinal whose name was reserved. The Consistory was the first that Pope Benedict has held. The total membership of the Sacred College is now 60, comprised of 29 Italians and

PERSIAN REBELS BEATEN T. G. BOWLES UP AGAIN (Reuter's Agency War Service)

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Petrograd, January 3.—The Russians ave severely defeated 500 rebellious gendarmes south-west of Hamadan, in Persia, killing dozens of them and

capturing their stores,

CARDINAL GASQUET.

CALLED UP FOR FEB. 8 Official Estimate Is 651,160 Eligible Bachelors Have

MORE DERBY GROUPS

(Reuter's Agency War Service) London, January 4 .- A Proclama

Not Yet Attested

and 9 on February 8. Parliament opens today for a most important session. Lord Derby's Leigh, was on board. He was born cheme will be published today, in China and has never established prior to Mr. Asquith's speech to- his American citizenship. morrow explaining the Government's Press Indignation

ssued to all parties and members diplomacy has increased with the are advised to remain within reach news of the sinking of the Persia. of London until the National Ser- The New York Herald wants to know vice Bill has been passed, which is what possible value have honeyed expected to take place within a words against this continued record week. It is now practically certain of crime. that Ireland will be excluded.

figures are:—Total number of men of military age, 5,011,441; total enlisted or rejected, 2,829,263; total remaining, 2,182,178.

many more murders of the men age women of America are needed to convince the nation that there is no escape from duty and action. "Is wilson still too proud to fight?"

The single men failing to offer themselves numbered 1,029,231, of vigorous article, points out the necess ervices, leaving 651,160 single m who have not volunteered, which the victualling and organising an intelreport describes as being far from a ligence service. negligible quantity. Therefore, it is It says:

2,179,231, married 2,832,210. Those local authorities." who offered, single 1,150,000, married Survivors' Narratives 1,679,263. Rejected, single 207,000, London, January 4.—Reuter's married 221,853.

Mr. Asquith announced that Sir John Simon has resigned his seat in the Cabinet.

The Hon. Lewis Harcourt and Mr. moment they were enjoying the very Herbert Samuel are mentioned as gay atmosphere of the dining-saloon successors to Sir John Simon.

The Weather

yesterday was 50.4 and the minimum 43.0, the figures for the corresponding 43.5, the figures for the corresponding day last year being respectively 43.5 the deck merely slid into the sea.

U.S. CABINET WAITS TILL PERSIA FACTS ARE MADE KNOWN

Vienna Ambassador Ordered to Establish Submarine's Identity

TO CALL CONGRESS?

Washington Talks of President Summoning House On 'Serious Crisis'

SEIZURE OF BASES

Castellorizo Occupation Is First Step in Clearing Mediterranean

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, January 4.—The sub-narine situation is admittedly grave. It is officially announced that dent Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing are taking every means to obtain full information upon which to act immediately. A meeting of the Cabinet has been cancelled because details regarding the Persia have not yet been available.

The American Ambassador at Vienna has been instructed to ask the Austrian Government for any information which will establish the identity of the submarine which sank

the Persia. The return of President Wilson to Washington has revived the rumors that he will summon the leaders of Congress to acquaint them with the eriousness of the crisis.

repeatedly called on Secretary of State Lansing, to ask for a suspension of judgment concerning the torpedoing of the Persia, promising that Austria will give reparation if it is proved that an Austrian submarine caused the loss of American

lives on board the vessel. Mr. Lansing announces that he will take no steps regarding the sinkion calls up Derby groups 6, 7, 8 ing of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha a.s. Yasaka Maru. It seems that only one possible American subject, named

very urgent whips have been of opposition against American

hat Ireland will be excluded.

Under the Derby scheme, the many more murders of the men and

Paris, January 4.—Le Temps, in a whom 378,071 are classed as being ity for extirpating the murderers in indispensable for other national the Mediterranean by destroying en their bases, preventing them re

"The occupation of impossible to utilise the services of Castellorizo is the first step in this the married men till the single men direction. Similar police measures have been secured by other means. must be taken with the other islands, The men available under Lord including those belonging to Greece, Derby's scheme were: Single, to remedy the shortcomings of the

representative at Alexandria cables The report says: 103,000 single accounts of interviews he has had and 112,431 married men have been with survivors of the Persia. All enrolled for immediate service, are bearing traces of shock and 840,000 single and 1,344,979 married hardship and are bruised and men for service under the group bandaged. Many of them were In the House of Commons, today, hospital with a broken leg. severely battered. One woman is in

The survivors say that the tragedy was so sudden that they hardly realised what had happened. One and everybody was very jolly and the next they were plunged into the sea and then found themselves, shaken and bruised, in open boats, with the luxurious liner vanished beneath the

north to north-east gale. The stem to stern. Only those going on maximum temperature recorded deck promptly could hope to escape. yesterday was 50.4 and the minimum The water poured into the liner with

The instant and successful lowering of four boats was a very brilliant All worked bravely, quietly and quickly. Many of the people saved were picked up out of the They emphasised the kindness of their rescuers and the comforts provided for them on landing

Torpedoed During Tiffin

Further details of the sinking of the Persia show that the passenger were at luncheon at the time of the disaster. The torpedo crashed into the ship between the funnels. All Egypt and India is not known, but the course of intermittent artillery the passengers quietly but hastly it is thought that between 20,000 and activity, we silenced two howitzer went to their cabins, to fetch their 30,000 bags of mall have been lost. life-belts, amid a momentarily in creasing list.

Then came a sudden lurch, which damaged several of the boats which were being lowered, the occupants of which were thrown into the water The four boats which were picked up were tied together.

The P. and O. Company states that, besides Lord Montagu of Beau lieu, the survivors from the Persia landed at Malta include Martin, A. Clark, an Italian gentleman and lascars.

The previous lists of survivors appear to be fairly correct. Meanwhile, there are added Lieut. Miller Hallett, Lieut. T. Scott, Lieut. W. Gardner, Gunner Wellington, Mrs. Penngaskel, Miss de Rogez, Mr. Barnanand Khubchand and Mr. J. Ethorne.

The mails on board the Persi were for Egypt, Cyprus, the Persian Gulf, India, Ceylon, Malaysia, the Straits, Dutch Indies, Borneo, Sara wak. Manila and Hongkong. They consisted of letters reaching the General Post Office from December 17 to 24, newspapers from the 15th to the 22nd and parcels for Egypt, Cyprus and India from the 8th to the 15th. None of the mails were saved. Maharajah Loses Jewels

The Cairo correspondent of the Evening News states that the Maharajah of Kapurthala awaited at Por Said the arrival of his suite by the Persia. His jewellery has been lost.

While the loss of life through the torpedoing of the Glen line steamer Glengyle is insignificant when compared with the Persia, the former vessel was worth a quarter of a million sterling and had a cargo of 14,000 tons, consisting of sesame-seeds, silk, cow-hides, butter and The Glengyle was sunk near

The Liverpool steamer Saint

The Liverpool steamer Saint Oswald (3,810 tons; British and Foreign S.S. Co.) has been sunk.

Alexandria, January 4.—The first connected narrative - the sinking of the Persia has beer given to Reuter's representative by Mr. Grant, the Calcutta manage. of the Vacuum Oil Company. He says: "I was sitting in the dining-saloon, at five minutes past one and had just finished the soup and the steward was asking what I would have next, when there was a terrific explosion. The saloon filled with smoke and steam from a boiler which had burst. Glass also was flying about.

was flying about.

"There was absolutely no panic. Everyone behaved exactly as if it were merely a boat drill. Each person went on deck and reported himself at his life-boat station.

"The vessel was soon listing badly and people were clinging to the rail."

The last thing Mr. Grant did was to tie a life-belt on to Captain Sprickly, a military officer who is among the missing.

Couldn't Launch More Boats

The vessel listed more and more Mr. Grant slid over the rail into the water. It was impossible to launch the starboard boats. Grant was sucked down and one of his shoes caught in a rope, but he dis-

sucked down and one of his shoes caught in a rope, but he dis-entangled himself, came to the sur-face and clung to some wreckage.

He got a final glimpse of the Persia, bow in air, diving downward, five minutes after the explosion.

Then he collected wreckage for the other people struggling in the water.

Mr. McNeeley's cabin was listing side of the liner.

Grant concluded by describing the cene in the water, which was one of the utmost horror. The sea was black with soot. Men, women and children were struggling for their lives, some uttering awful cries and others bidding each other good-bye Afterwards the survivors in th oats found solace in singing hymns Cairo, January 4.—The Persia was muniques report no events carrying exceptionally heavy mails; 11,000 bags were landed at Malta.

CUSTOMS REVENUE, 1915 DECREASES Tls. 2,165,000

Total Collection Hkn. Tls. 36, 742,000; Shar.ghai Falls Off Tls. 651,000

Reuter's Pocific Service to The China Press
Peking January 5.—The Maritime
Customs revenue for 1915 shows a
lecrease of Haikuan Taels 2,165,000, the total collection being, in round numbers, Haikuan Taels 36,742,000, which, at an average exchange of 2.7%, equals £4,764,978, as compared to Haikuan Taels 38,907,000, at an average exchange of 2.8%, equals £5,309,184, in 1914.

The following collections are from the principal ports:

he principal ports:— Shanghai: Hkn. Tls. 11,410,000, a

Shanghai: Hkh. 17s. 11,410,000, a decrease of Hkh. Tls. 651,000.

Harbin: Hkh. Tls. 1,124,000, an increase of Hkh. Tls. 84,000.

Dairen: Hkh. Tls. 1,740,000, an increase of Hkh. Tls. 1,740,000, an increase of Hkh. Tls. 154,000.

Tientsin and Chinwangtao: Hkh. Tls. 4,730,000, a decrease of Hkh. Tls. 291,000.

Hankow: Hkn. Tls. 3,867,000, an Hankow: Hkn. Tls. 3,867,000, an increase of Hkn. Tls. 1,77,000.

Swatow: Hkn. Tls. 1,296,000, a decrease of Hkn. Tls. 187,000.

Canton: Hkn. Tls. 2,398,000, a decrease of Hkn. Tls. 458,000.

All foreign obligations secured on the Customs have been fully met to December 31, 1915.

December 31, 1915.

MIXED COURT PROMOTIONS

According to the Asiatic Daily News, the Department of Home Affairs has recommended the Magistrates of the Mixed Courts in Shanghai to be promoted in official ranks for which sanction has been obtained.

FLAG OF THE EMPIRE

The Asiatic Daily News says that the following flag has been adopted as an emblem of the new Chinese government: The flag will be in five colors. At four corners yellow, white, blue and black will be in a triangle, the center will be in red and it will appear as a cross.

Visit of Minister Chow to Mikado

(Continued from Page 1) Sah is soon to be appointed Super intendent of these three great arsenals of China. The government has decided that these arsenals should be united under the control of a responsible superintendent.

It was the desire of the government to remove the Kiangnan Arsenal, but Admiral Sah objects to this proposal. He says that he sees no reason why the Chinese government should remove this costly arsenal after having spent millions therefore has once more decided to continue the Kiangnan arsenal.

Chinese Press Reports

The China Times:—General Chen Yi of Szechuen has telegraphed to the persia, bow in air, diving downward, five minutes after the explosion. Then he collected wreckage for the other people struggling in the water. The five boats which had got away soon pulled in amongst the swimmers and strugglers and rescued all they possibly could.

The over-loaded boats subsequently re-distributed their occupants and four of the boats roped themselves together. The fifth was further away.

Grant continued: "My boat, at 3.30 in the afternoon, separated from the others, in order to search a more frequented channel. We rowed for three hours, sighted a cruiser and hailed her, shouting: "We are English!"

"When the warship was near enough, we explained that we were survivors of the Persia and indicated the whereabouts of the other boats. The others were found at 7 o'clock in the evening."

Bluejackets' Kindness

Grant paid a fine tribute to the kindness displayed by the British bluejackets. He declares that Mr. McNeeley, the American Consul at Aden, sat at the same table, but he

Howitzer Batteries

Silence Two German

British Face Heavy Fusilade But Their Fire Prevents Attack Developing

(Reuter's Agency War Service) London, January 4 .- Both the French and German official comimportance

The exact number on board for General Sir Douglas Haig states: In batteries in the region of Armentieres and dispersed some German working north-east of Ypres. North parties north-east of Ypres. North of Albert, the enemy opened a heavy fusilade against our trenches, after everal hours of preliminary combardment, but our fire prevented the development of any hostile attack.

Dutch Figure War Will End in Autumn

(Continued from Page 1) our trunks and grips. Every inch of your clothing is gone over with

microscopical care. "And heaven help the man who suspected! The frontier search is so thorough that they can almost tell

what he is thinking about. "Once over the line the first im pression you get of Germany at war is of the perfect order that reign everywhere. In Holland our trains are often a little late in starting. In Germany the minute the time for a train's departure arrives, the signal is given and the engine starts, on time to the fraction of a second. In every other phase of life it is the same. Germany is running her in she is pursuing towards the busines of war.

"In Berlin you are made to feel mighty uncomfortable unless you are vearing a German uniform. I am young and physically able to join the army. Whenever I passed down the street I could feel the eyes of every one upon me. They took me for German and wondered why I was no fighting at the front. In street cars people will ask you bluntly.

"'How does it happen that you are not at the front?"

"There is no term of greater con-

he same meaning as that of the ritish word, 'slacker.' '

an impression in Holland that there obtain good butter. Germany when it was discovered Kaiser getting indemnities. It had become evident that the officials

become evident that the officials have given up hope of this but the great mass of the people still cling to the impression that their country is going to be paid vast sums by her defeated enemies.

"The war will be finished in the autumn of 1916," Dutch bankers are prophesying.

They don't say which side will be victorious—they found their prediction on the assumption that the nations involved with be financially exhausted by that time. Because of the vast loans already floated, there was a marked tendency among Dutch bankers to avoid the third German, war loan.

"Women are doing men's work in Germany," declared the traveller, "and it is typical of the nation that they are going about their unusual labors as thouset they had always.

"and it is typical of the nation that they are going about their unusual labors as though they had always done them. You see many prisoners at work. In some instances I know that French and Russian prisoners were working on material that belonged indirectly to the prosecution of war. They were at work on bridge materials and frames for Zeppelin Sheds. The British prisoners generally refused to engage in work of this kind. Some of the French are very well contented with their lot, and I know of instances where they applied for permission to bring their wives and families to where they were working in Germany.

many.

In Berlin food is high. In some localities food prices are three times what they were before the war. So that maximum prices are fixed for the benefit of the lower class. The number of these articles is increasing weekly. You see potatoes growing almost everywhere—but not in parks as has been reported. There are plenty of potatoes but a scarcity of nearly everything else. The poorer people are living on potatoes and grease and their suffering this winter is certain to be acute.

War Bread Is Good

War Bread Is Good

"Like everyone else in Berlin, was given a bread card which allowed buns. When that is used up, you get no more until the next day. If you enter a cafe and ask for bread, the waiter calls for your card and tears off a check for the amount you want at the time. Sometimes the bread is white as though made of pure flour, but most of it is brown with substitutes. It all tastes very good and it containly is neurishing. and it certainly is nourishing.
"You see a great deal of jam and

empt in the German language now dried fish. I don't know where the han that of 'drucker.' It conveys fish comes from, but I know that it acute short ge of all sorts of meat The Hollander said that there was and lard. It is almost impossible to would be grave internal disorders in universal impression that the harves Germany when it was discovered that there was little likelihood of the and that the breeding of young animals for the year was not as

and that the breeding of young animals for the year was not as successful as was hoped. But there is no shortage of copper in Germany."

The Hollander declared that, in-so-far as allowed by his Government, foodstuff is sent to England and Germany. Dutch farmers were enjoying prosperity from this trade. But it must be borne in mind that the total amount of produce sent to Germany is amount of produce sent to Germany is only a very small fraction of the daily only a very small fraction of the daily consumption in that country and will have no influence on the duration of the war. Holland produces more food-stuff than can be consumed in Holland itself; on the other hand, for a great many articles Holland is depending on her neighbors so that exchange is

Strict Neutrality

The Netherlands Overseas Trust Co., a Government institution, takes painful care that nothing is exported beyond the allowed limit, and that no imported goods are re-exported. As a matter of course there are always un-scrupulous persons who try to smuggle but to his great satisfaction the military authority took rigid measures to make such impossible. Therefore the pro-Ally and anti-smuggling pres campaign by the Telegraaf is bound to make a very wrong impression on outsiders. The Dutch Government takes strict care to remain neutral. Although every newspaper is allowed to give its opinion, this is not allowed to deteriorate into a press

endanger Holland's neutrality and safety.

To the question about the feeling in Holland, the traveller declared that the majority is certainly anti-German and pro-French. "Although Holland is thankful to be able to get the necessary supplies imported and clearthinking people see the necessity of the Allies blockading Germany, yet the people are much impressed by the way in which this affects Holland. The import and export of goods to and from her colonies in the East has to be checked by the British Government and it will be readily seen that this must give a wrong impression

ment and it will be readily seen that
this must give a wrong impression
as regards the friendly feeling of the
Allies towards Holland to those who
are not used to thinking beyond their
own daily bread.
"I myself," declared the traveller,"
had to get permission from the British
Consul in Amsterdam to send my own
technical books and my clothing from
Holland in a Dutch steamer, to Java.
a Dutch Colony. Towards the end of
the war, conditions may even become
worse, but it is certainly the most

Petrograd Receives Report

frontier. The unsuccessful German attacks against the Russian right railway from Olika.

irm position astride the Kovel-Sarny ailway on the left bank of the Styr, inflicting heavy losses on the enemy The left flank has been the scen of a fiercely-contested engagement in which the Russians captured some ommanding heights north-east of Czernowitz, taking 870 prisoners.

Success so far has been tactical Strategical developments are poss-Zalestchika, thereby opening the road to Czernowitz and the occupaion of Bukhovina.

Important results have been obained by the capture of the enemy's renches in front of the River Strypa. The enemy have fallen back to a new line extending 17 miles north of Yadlovitz

successes in the vicinity of Czerno worse, but it is certainly the most ardent wish of the Hollanders to remain neutral to the end."

gressing uninterruptedly, inflicting Hamadan, firing occurred with the very severe losses on the enemy and representation of the Hollanders to remain neutral to the end."

Czernowitz Is Evacuated

Earlier Cable Told of Commanding Heights Being Taken; Opens Road to Bukhovina Occupation

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Petrograd, January 4.—It is reported the field. hat the enemy have evacuated The Russian successes will deprive the enemy of the use of the Czernowitz-Zalestchika railway and likewise threaten the Czernowitz-

Desperate fighting is continuing on the flanks of the 200-mile front between flank at Chartorlisk constitute an active defence of Kovel, an important railway center and the German lines of communication, which are also threatened in the event of a Russian advance along the Rovno-Kovel

The Russians have maintained a

ble in the shape of the seizure of the railway between the River Dniester and the River Pruth and perations in the region of Usechko, ndangering the enemy's position at

Uninterrupted Progress

The official communique issue esterday recorded further Russian same violence. The Russians, despite numerous counter-attacks, are pro-

besides numerous wounded left on

The communique today stated:— A German attempt to cross the Dvina, near Elisenhof, falled before the Russian fire. The Germana, dressed in white cloaks, made an unsuccessful attempt to surprise our trenches near

The Russians, in the middle of the Strypa, assumed a brisk off occupied some trenches and the village of Bielavintze and captured a strong isolated position fighting north-east of Czernowitz continues. The Germans made a counter-attack to regain their lost trenches, but failed, with very heavy

Peking, January 2.—The following fficial communique from Petrograd, dated January 1, has been handed to Reuter's Agency by the Russian Legation: South-eastward of Zalei. during the night, we threw a number of hand-grenades into the enemy's trenches. Our attacking party returned in the morning, without having sustained any losses

On the front of the Dvina region on the section adjoining the Ponevej railway line, minor engagements are taking place. Further south, as far as the River Pripiat, the situation is unchanged.

On the front southward of the River Pripiat, a violent battle is raging

The Caucasian front .- The attempts of the Turks to cross the River Arkhave, southward of the borough of Hopa, were easily frustrated. In the reigon of the village of Ardest, our fire prevented the Turks from continuing to fortify their positions.

In Persia, in the region to the east of Ushnue, southward of Urmia, enounters are taking place with the witz. The fighting continues with the Kurds, who are assisted by Turkish infantry. In the region of the village of Syrkau, southward gressing uninterruptedly, inflicting Hamadan, firing occurred with the

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cribes the hard fighting of the Third repulsed the French attack. German Army last February and And this was March in Champagne. The narra-dozens of times. tive, of which a translation is published by the New York Sunday ed to abandon a trench which was leads up to the German defence of placed in our second line of ennote, was capture by the French in that French infantrymen, under pro-October. The lesson which the tection of their artillery fire, reachwriter draws from the whole strug- ed and took such an empty trench, gle is that of the immense value of the iron discipline of the German they encountered no obstacles. "undue softness" and "false sentimentality," once bade them relax this feature of their military training are, he holds, shown to be overwhelmingly convicted of error.

Prince Oscar has, of course, much say about the fine fighting qualities, the "invincibility" of the but he is constrained also to acknow-French.

made this battle so hideous for us, changes. This done, the "French nor was it the hand-to-hand men's nest" was complete. struggles in the trenches, man Furious Hand to Hand Fighting against man, where the German, The difficult task of ousting the possessing greater physical strength, French from their "nest" then was easily the match of the in- devolved upon our regiments, and dividual Frenchman. What made the battle a living hell was the work hard cruel fighting were required to ly much-laughed-at and sneered-at of the French artillery, enormous in accomplish this end. strength, with huge supplies of ammunition which was spent lavishly. fury with which such a hand-to-Life in the trenches became a perpetual nightmare and stamped as instance. A grenadier of one of ou

Intensity of the French Fire

On to a comparatively small area French document in which the conbombs must be the allowance per hind.

metre of German trench, these 18 In another regiment three manding officer calculated that 18 rapidity of the artillery fire was, therefore, as great as that of an ordinary machine gun, but the shells two steel shields from machine-guns two steel shields from machine-guns hurled against us were not infantry two steel shields from machine-guns shells, but grenades of every calibre. lashed together. In his right hand "Drumfire" is the name for this sort of artillery fire, and its effects were existence; the trenches were flatten-other was equipped with a bayonet.

that any living creature should survive such a hellish turmoil. When the firing ceased abruptly, or when the firing ceased the firing ceas

And this was done not once, but

American, gives a vivid picture of suffering particularly from "drumevents in which Prince Oscar played fire" in order to avoid unnecessary his part as an officer on the staff of loss of life, and the crew from such nanding general, and finally an abandoned trench was then Hill 196 which, it is interesting to trenchments. It sometimes happened succeeding the more readily because Those who, from soldiers then sprang forth from their cover and attacked the French with hand-grenades and bayonets.

If for some reason or other this ounter-attack was not made at once, but was postponed for an hour or two, we were not so sure of suc- patriotism may be forced into temcess, and it was then never secured by us without heavy casualties, for troops he fought with, Prussians, the few hours that had elapsed had that, the very power to think be-Bavarians, Saxons, and many others, amply sufficed the French, who are exceedingly clever at every sort of ledge the "marvellous valor" and the entrenchment work, to change and that discipline asserts itself. Nothing "reckless courage and nerve" of the remodel the trench for their purposes, to instal machine-guns, to It was, however [he writes], not place and-bag barriers along both the attacks of their infantry which sides, and to make sundry other "The iron rock upon which Ger-

As an example of the tremendo hand fight raged I will cite one unforgettable heroes the men who Rhenish regiments, who carried a went through with it without flin- pick-axe, had the thumb of his right hand, which carried weapon, bitten right off by a Frenchman. The German soldier, writhing On to a comparatively small area with pain, contrived to change the French on one day threw a with pain, contrived to change the hundred thousand shells! We found a pick-axe to his left hand and killed both the Frenchman who had maimed him and his comrade be

bombs to be used, not in a day, but bombs to be used, not in a day, but within one or two hours! The rapidity of the artillery fire was. axe. His two companions kept to simply dreadful—unspeakable. The either side of him, as closely as wire was completely an. possible. One carried as many hand nihilated, was clean wiped out of grenades as he could manage, the earthworks were able to withstand throwing grenades, and literally The enemy made the utmost efforts crumbled away. No known sort of proceeded, striking, thrusting, and

rumbled away. No known sort of earthworks were able to withstand such fire for even a short time.

When such "drumfire" began a huge wall of smoke and chalk particles rose over our trenches, for twenty Dollars Mex.

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The proceeded, striking, thrusting, and throwing grenades, and literally throwing grenades, and literally thacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the assembly the chemy for the enemy made the utmost efforts to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the ranks and stored to make a symptom and at the expense of possible subsequent mischer.

No Champagne reached its culmination of the enemy.

Suddenly on the Essarabian frontier.

The enemy made the utmost efforts to break through the Austro-Hunhacking its way through the austro-Hunhacking its

the world. The horror of the scene who received the main shock of the was augmented by the ceaseless rumbling, thundering, and crashing which filed the air, and which, even if the freed and others of the French army attacked in five lines, advancing one by one, with some of their officers that any living creature should survive such a hellish turmoil. When with a shower of hand greenage with the filed the main shock of the impact, was not to be shaken, how ditself disinclined to fulfill the request of the lineth the filed the sir, and which, even and others of the French army attacked in five lines, advancing one by one, with some of their officers on horseback. We received them with a shower of hand greenage with some of the consuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail have been arrested. General Sarrail to the consuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the consuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria who have been arrested. General Sarrail to the Crossuls of Germa

back. Front and flank of this writhing maelstrom of densely-packed humanity rolling along in a disof the sharp note of protest which orderly retreat was swept by our the Greek Government has directed to heavy artillery fire from 21-centi-meter mortars, heavy field howitzers, Disclosures about the Servian mili-10-centimeter cannon. The losses tary operations against Bulgaria, which the French sustained were inhuman and sickening.

Value of Iron Discipline

months of frantic fighting, after Bulgaria. paying a frightful tell in blood, the French were forced to abandon their effort to break through our lines.

The value of iron discipline was overwhelmingly demonstrated. It is safe to assert that the most highly France and Britain. The general disciplined regiment will be the most successful in action. Youthful enthusiasm may be undermined porary abeyance by hours of con tinual, cruel shelling; worse that comes inhibited in the witches cauldron of "drumfire." It is then else gives the same moral stamina and in difficult positions discipline is

"The iron rock upon which Germany rests more securely than the earth upon the shoulders of Atlas is our glorious army." That this army has reached this glorious summit is due primarily to its splendid training, and the fundamentals of this in some instances many weeks of training are to be found in the latterdetail work done in years of peace. The standing-at-attention, the clocklike precision, the manual of arms. the goose-step-to all of these we owe the efficiency displayed by our troops in resisting French "drumfire," in repulsing French drives, in withstanding with iron might French alertness, in circumventing French enthusiasm and gallantry.

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(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

Ueberseedienst reports: The Greek this paper.

cutting off the men from the rest of Regiment No. 133 and other troops, public opinion is excited about the Bulgarian opinion is that, as all events, the world. The horror of the scene who received the main shock of the

been found amongst the letters of the English Colonel Napier, the former British Military Attache in Sofia, With this last valiant attempt to together with contemptous remarks take the Hill 196 ended the winter about the Greek nation. They have battle of the Champagne. After made the strongest impression in

Sobranje, all members, irrespective of parties, conversed in the lobbles about the attitude which Greece will take under these circumstances and and in view of the other

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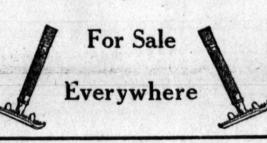
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STORY-PLOTS OF THE DAY

Snapshots at the Tales a Group of Popular Authors Unfold

melodramatic tale of the Venice and Constantinople of the early thir-teenth century is Nathan Gallizier's Company). Its central circumstances about the adventures of Audran de Vera, a young nobleman of Venice, who goes to Constantinople to rescue the Lady Eleanor of Montfer- great better-ment, rat from the clutch of Alexius, and on the side, to obtain trace, if possible, of Irene, the daughter of Enrico Danlo, who has eloped with an adventurer known as the Armenian. Mr. Gallizier is an experienced writer of romances of this sort and knows how to equip his chapters with the full pomp of glowing letters.

In "The Banner of the Bull" (J. B.

Lippincott Company) Rafael Sabatini tells three stories of Cesare Borgia, "The Urbinian," "The Peruglan" and "The Vene'ian." In the first of these, the Borg'a accomplishes the fall of St. Leo by a stratagem, in which for his Lady Fulvia; in the third he thwarts conspirators in Venice and brings about the death of the plotting Prince Sinibaldi at the hands of the latter's own ambuscaders.

Horace Annesley Vachell's "Quin-neys" having made its appearance dramatized form, is now published in a new Players' Edition (George H. Doran Company), with pictures from photographs taken on the stage. Opinion as to the merits of the play are sharply divided. The story of the little Melchester son who took up and antiques, married wisely and gave a lesson in true love to his own daughter, remains delightfully good to read.

Robert W. Chambers's reputation in letters will probably survive even the attack made upon it by "Police!" (Appletons) his newly published ex-travaganza. It has withstood similar saults from time to time during these last several years. It happens, however, that "Police!" is a trifle fiagrantly flippant than the run of Mr. Chamber's worst. In episodic fashion, with some cleverness of phrase, satire of sorts and flings in worst possible taste at President Wilson, this book follows the adventures in one place and another of a who takes to the research field in the interests of the Bronx Zoo. There are, of course, regular Chambers girls in all his dis-

commpounded romances within romances, with a has been run out to the coaffeds dash of eugenics and of the single-standard-for-b-th-sexes principle in the sea route. At the same time he morality. As a leading matter, a man is emphatically of opinion that there in love with a fine girl reveals to the s no real enmity between Briton and girl's elder brother, in a series of Turk. They respect one another vivid letters, the history of his eight and like one another, "Germany's earlier affairs of the heart, beginning cleverness in making them fight for

Heart of a Man" (Benziger Bros.) is diabolical."

a story of strife between labor and capital, of Socialism, of rioting and burning, and, as the title indicates, of a struggle in a man's own nature. It has its climax in a triumph of brotherhood, when John Sargent, once a ruthless owner of mills and Gondola" (The Page driver of men, leaves to Jim Lloyd, the leader he has sought to crush, and to the operatives who have fol

lowed Jim, the means to honor and

The Barness von Hutten's new ook, "Bird's Fountain" (Appleton), presents the story of Army Dorset, peopled, and the local scenes of action who, married to a middle-aged Englishman who takes (her love for granted, finds her life gray and uninteresting, and welcomes the attentions of Archie Hood, a young Captain of the Guards, as a relief from its monotony. But the Captain is an ardent lover. Amy is soon infatuated that is true of the particular pair of and matters are drifting to a crisis. People with whose case she deals. own interest he favors the love of his visit Bird's Fountain, her husband's soldier Lorenzo; in the second he is beautiful country place. Am'd the himself foiled by the trickery of the peaceful surroundings there, and at peaceful surroundings there, and at the grave of her child, the wife finds rest is happiness.

THE DARDANELLES

Some fresh facts regarding the Dardanelles expedition are given by Captain Granville Fortescue, the well-known American correspondent. in his book "What of the Dardanelles?" It has always been believed that if the landing of troops had re-created his father's business in followed directly upon the first naval bombardment the Gallipoli Peninsula might have been stormed.

Captain Fortescue says: "A neutral officer who has been with the Turkish armies assured me that three Divisions disembarked on that fateful day . . . might have marched triumphantly from the heel neck of the Gallipoli Peninsula. . . A Germany officer confirmed this assertion. He argued that the loss of this opportunity stamped . . . those who planned the coup as men of mediocre military

calibre." Captain Fortescue disposes of the silly tales that the Turks are on the eve of a revolution or are quarrelling with the Germans. There has been, pathetic reunion of the friends. he says, no real shortage of food at

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'STORY OF JULIA PAGE'

Mrs. Norris Tells It

Kathleen Norris, who wrote lo'her" and "Saturday's Child," has the mother thought also for her latest book (Doubleday, Page and Co.), "The Story of Julia Page." "Mothers," cays the young heroine of this story, "are strange, they have so much ower-or seem to."

The quoted line does not expreexactly the theme of the book, to be ure, but it (is apropos, since the time into something like an ideal state of motherhood, and since at the noment she is thinking how different things might have been for her had her own mother been less strange.

Julia has arrived as the child of a sordid marriage—the daughter of a ouse soon disrupted. For her first fifteen years she has lived in poverty and neglect and in unprofitable friend Accident has thrown in her way an opportunity to see life at a different social angle, and at a highly mpressionable age she has made an abrupt turn in her career. A settle-ment house has caught her, instead of he variety stage to which she was drifting, and her beauty, cleverness and charm have been sufficient to win first valuable friendship and then the love of a man rich, proud and, as physician and surgeon, splendidly gifted.

he marries Julia in spite of her con ed her very early girlhood. Out of this confession, nevertheless, becar of the temperament of the man to whom it is made, arise the complica tions that make Mrs. Norris's tory and the trials that prove Julia Page as a woman of rare quality. Francisco. It is most agreeably are vividly described. The charm of the book dwells, however, in its mins ling of humor, sentiment, sympathy, courage, philosophy and idealism, all vomanly Although Mrs. Norris has taken up an issue highly provocative

that only the outcome she sets forth is the possible one. And perhap

of discussion, she has made it appe

'SONG OF HUGH GLASS' A Trapper Legend of Our Own West Is Enshrined in Verse

An episode of the old American fu trade, west of the Missouri and up the Yellowstone, furnishes the theme for "The Song of Hugh Glass" (Macmil lans), a long narrative poem by John G. Neihardt,

trapper and guide who, going out with a party of eighty trappers, bound "for where the Big Horn meets the Yellowstone," is overcome by a grizzly while out foraging for the camp, and is left for dead by the two men who have been assigned to care for him. One of these men is "Little Jim," or Jamie the well-beloved young friend of Hugh. Old Glass is not dead, however, and as he slowly recovers from his wounds and weakness he takes painfully to the trail with vows of vengeance on the boy whom he be lieves to have deserted him.

Reaching the camp of his former companions, after a long and terrible journey, Hugh finds that Jamie has heard rumors of his survival and has gone back to find him. The old trapper for the boy, whom he finds blinded and ill, and the peem closes with the

Constantinople.

Stocks of coal have been reserved which will surprise no reader of his simply from his pen, too, but with the revelation of a poet's wonderful fancy in the descriptions of the long forest wanderings and sufferings of Hugh and Jamie

"The Song of Hugh Glass" make strongly its own case for permanency and is a rich addition to the stock, by no means large, of versified legendry

IN APPRECIATION OF AGE

melia E. Barr's 'Three Score and Ten' a Remarkable Book

Amelia E. Barr writes about many things in the fifteen chapters of her new book "Three Score and Ten" (Appletons), some of them as frivo-lously interesting as the origin of playing cards, some as inspirational as the making of good bread, others as vital as the fashion of living and thinking which leads to a sweet old

age,
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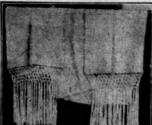
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SPORTS - Latest News of Athletic World - GOSSIP

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Phillips (12), 6 and 5.

Taylor (15), 3 and 1. A. Wilson (8) beat W. J. Haw-

kings (4), 4 up. J. C. Macdougail (3) beat T. J. Fisher, (8), 4 and 2.

C. J. Knight (8) beat W. N. C. Allen (14), 4 and 2. H. E. S. Pickering (8) beat A. W.

Macphail (18), 9 and 7. (18), 2 and 1.

Woodford (15), 7 and 5.

(9), 5 and 3. G. Ewart (18) beat E. B. Clarke

(18), 2 and 1. W. S. Clay (16) beat A. Gray (3), R. A. Lawson (2) beat J. W.

Gaines (12), 4 and 3. C. J. G. Hill (12) beat W. A. H. Moule (8), 2 and 1.

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tion. Italian Company .- 2nd Lieut. M Commencial as Lieutenant on promo tion.

Engineer Co.-Twelve months leave is granted to Lieut. S. S. Sellick from January 1, 1916.

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Sir.—I see by today's CHINA PRESS O. Lancaster (9) received that the return match between T. Benth (Scr.) beat G. H. College is to be played on Friday 7th inst. Could not the authorities H. -E. Brewer (18) beat A. J. arrange to play this off on Saturday thereby giving the Shanghai public A. S. Hocking (12) beat J. C. a chance to see two good Chinese teams? I am sure followers of football would appreciate it very much. Yours, etc.,

FOOTBALL AT HANGCHOW

Special Correspondence of The China Press

Hangchow, January 4.-Local Wing Tai Vo Co. H. W. Daldy (15) beat P. H. Nye invitation into inter-urban football enthusiasts were given a pleasan at the Wayland Academy Athletic C. W. Porter (7) bent L. Evans Field on Saturday and Monday. A A. R. Bowden (12) beat H. B. In the first game a local team de-W. E. Leckie (14) beat G. B. Sayer feated the Wayland second team by

This was followed by a fast game between Wayland and the Shanghai Baptist College. The game was hard fought from the beginning. The College team showed its superiority by putting the ball into the net three times in the first half. Wayland held them in the second and rallied for one goal. .The final score was Baptist College 3; Wayland Academy 1.

On Monday the victors played a picked team representing Wayland and some of the Government schools. This was by odds the fastest game yet seen in Hangchow and it was anybody's game from the kick off to the finish. The enthusiasm shown from the side lines augurs well for the future of football here. Final score: Shanghai Volunteer Corps upon recommendations by the commandant:

Medical Staff. The North Advisor of the Government schools.

Billiards

Twelve Enter Championship

me of Shanghai's best billiard rs have left since the last pionship series, but others have forward and the entries for this m's championship, which closed crday with Mr. Gibson, the hon. Have again number twelve, all A. They are: [1, 2] sterday with Mr. Gibson, the hon-cretary, again number twelve, all en of note with the cue. They are-ptain E. I. M. Barrett, Messrs. R. illips (the holder), H. E. Gibson, C. Komaroff, G. M. P. Remedios, E. Godfrey, — Marshall, E. Brown, C. Porter, Gordon Morriss, C. S. eacock and A. E. Fenton.

Weddings

Blum-Saphlere

Invitations are being sent out by Mr. and Mrs. A. Saphiere for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Pauline, to Mr. Leo Blum. The ceremony will be performed at Sarville, No. 20, Jessfield Read, next Sunday afternoon.

Calendars for 1916

We have received the new Equitable urance calendar from Anderse Meyer and Company, Shanghai agents Each calendar lenf bears some ters argument in favor of Equitable policies

The B. A. T. calendars for 1916 ar ertain to prove popular with th Chinese, With the exception of reproductions of the cigarette package and tins, the posters have no English on them. The colored pictures of Chinese beautier and landscapes. There are four different models. British American Tobacco Company Ltd., Westminster Clgarette Co., Ltd. Union Commercial Company and the

CHINESE POST OFFICE

Having reference to the pamphle "Tariff and General Information" ssued and distributed by the Chines Post Office in June, 1915, the attention of the public is drawn to the alterations made in the hours during which correspondence may be handed in for transmission at the head office:

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Obituary

Sir G. S. Robertson Reuter's Service

London January 4.—The death is ounced of Sir George Scott Robertson, K. C. S. I.

Two Funerals Mr. J. H. Morrison took place

50 Cemetery. Both were very largely attended, and the Rev. C. E. Darwen onducted the ceremony in each cas The flowers sent were numerous an eautiful. The funeral of the late Mr Allan took place first, and the following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Mr. McMurdo, Mr. Elder Mr. McGregor, Mr. C. Wilson, Mr. H.

Wilson, and Mr. Brown,

Wreaths were sent by the follow Mr. Chen Chang-yuen, Mr. and M.s. Lloyd, Alex and Hugh Allan, Bob and Jean, Wang Pei-fu, "Mother," Mrs. Zee, Mr. Dallon, Mr. and Mrs. Ander on, Shanghai Junior Golf Club, Mr and Mrs. McGregor, Mr. Anderton Mr. Blomme, Mr. and Mrs. McMurdo Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, and Mr. Ander

The funeral of the late Mr. Morris hen took place, and the same gentlemen as above named with the excep tion of Mr. P. B. Morrison acted as the Wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Elder. Mr. and Mrs McGregor, Mr. George Grant, Shang hai Junior Golf Club, Mrs. Williams Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Mr. Andrew Wood, Mr. H. T. Morrison, Mr. Lai Yip-sung, Mr. P. Morrison, Mr. W. Smith, Mr and Mrs. Richmann, Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Murdo, Mr. and Mrs. Dantstrom, Mr. The funerals of Mr. J. Allan, and and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. Wang Ahloong and the Marine Engineers yesterday at the Bubbling Well Association.

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pring anti-cyclone in norther China. Very hard monsoon and, at places, north to north-east gale along the whole coast.

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PROGRESSIVE AND IMPARTIAL

Does He Want War?

(New York World) OES Mr. Roosevelt believe that the United States should declare war against Germany?

If so, is he afraid to say so? If he is not afraid to say so, why does he not prepare a declaration of war, have resolution introduced in Congress by a member of the Progressive Party and make a straight-out appea to the country on that issue?

That would mean something. All of Mr. Roosevelt's scolding tirades in the newspapers and magazine mean nothing. What could be sillier than Mr. Roosevelt's frenzier denunciation of the kind of indigna tion that "exhausts itself in word d of taking shape in deeds, while his own indignation exhaust itself in words instead of taking

Since the beginning of the war body else not even Mr. Bryanas talked one-half so much as Mr. evelt; yet when it comes to translating his own words into what "effective action" he is as ineless as an oyster.

There are only two ways in which a nation can maintain its rights. One is by the slow, clumsy processes of diplomacy. The other is by drawing

There are Americans who believe that the United States ought long ago to have entered the war on the side of the allies, either to help redress the wrongs of Belgium, or to repay to France the debt of gratitude that we owe her for our own in adence, or to aid Great Britain in fighting what many thoughtful men consider the decisive battle of y. One may agree or dis gree with such Americans, but their sm of the policy of the United tates Government is clear and in telligible. We know what they are talking about. They advocate war not merely in the national interest but as a duty to civilization, and they give reasons. But the Roosevelt kind of clamor gets us nowhere. It is

whom he loads down with opprocess, but for the most part the jungle brium are far more entitled to possessed the land. Then a great into peace and prosperity, there is no respect than he, because they too American company decided that if a hope in Zapata. His illiteracy, his ating those principles. Like the people who think the country reason why a great deal could not justice, but he is not the man to bring should enter the war, they are be produced. promoting a concrete policy. It may be wise or unwise, but it is a and reaching miles back into the his troops, he is only a brave guerilla

We can think of nothing mor contemptible in a great national mills were erected at Antilla, Preston than for men to seel deliberately to embarrass their Government when they are too from the beach to place the sugar on craven to propose a policy of their own as a substitute for the policy that the Government is pursuing. man in or out of Congress h a moral right to assail Presiden n's handling of foreign affairs unless that man is ready to vote fo war and is ready to urge his fellow as to vote for war.

If Mr. Roosevelt wants war, le him at least have enough manhood to say he wants war and to say tha ress should exercise the grea sovereign power that is vested in it

What a Wonderful Place!

(From the Détroit Times)

The Unknown Woman At the Nativity

Jem Watters, the coal heaver, shed ars when a babe was born to him in

Watters family, at the moment was being soused in a small galvanised iron tub under the capable hands of Mrs. 'Arry Biddick, who had just 'urried to 'elp Mary, poor dear,' " writes W. S. Walkley in the Ladies' Home Journal

"Watters, looking on, had lapsed is equal to the task? into a brown study when the dector

" 'You'd never guess, doctor,' said

world—would you, now?'
"So Jem told him. "'It's about the borning of Jesus the folks from the inn and the aniing it all over, and how hard it was

and dressed the little Jesus baby that wer there?

stable.

t; they'll do hannything for a babby, vomen will. And so I was wonner ng who it was what first swaddled and cuddled and quieted the new-born Lord. She was a good woman, and somehow we could have been let in on who she was and what her name

Don't you think so, sir? peak, through fear of breaking the hread of the naive recital of the unknown woman at the Nativity.

" 'You see,' pursued Jem earnestly. ost every person that ever did vatching their flocks; they didn't do anything for Jesus, but they're in. And the Wise Men-rich men, mind carried gifts, which was easy for them, and they're prominent, the poor woman what did more for legus'n the woman what washed His et with her hair-why, we don't know nothing about her.

"'It's me that I'm sorry for, no er,' said Jem presently; 'an' I'm not nding fault with the Bible, under and; it's the grandest Book. oman got her reward, I know. Can't figure in the world today. u imagine 'ow proud and please he was when she found out all about the little fellow she'd fixed up? Man,

"It was me that dressed the Jesus baby," she'd be tellin' all the And maybe she held Him in her lap when the Wise Men Zapata has slept in the same little came in with their Christmas prefor the woman, I'm thinkin' !"

"The man's face positively sho s he visualised the scene in the lowly Bethlehem inn and saw with his own es the radiant face of the unknown man who, rapt and glorified, w strangely like Mrs. 'Arry Biddick."

****************** Travelettes

PRESTON is a neat little American town of frame houses, lawns, churches, schools and electric lights. set grotesquely down on the east coast of the Island of Cuba, environed in jungle-clad mountains and tropical oast, Except for the tall coconut palms along its streets, Preston might be a village in Ohio. Twelve years ago the site of this

farmers raised sugar cane thereabout regime, and here he is supreme today. The peace-at-any-price people and extracted it by a primitive prodefinite principles and are little cane could be raised along the lack of training and insight forbid. east coast of Cuba, there was no He has promised the peons land and

interior, were bought and laid out in modern sugar plantations. Great for a savior. and other towns. A safe harbor was dredged, and long piers reached out the waiting ships. Apparently from nowhere came swarms of ragged natives to work in the fields for good wages, and the ships brought Yankees to run the mills. Within a few years, the Nipe Bay district became a prosperous agricultural ction, with a population of 25,000. If you climb a hill and overlook this great cane-growing section it esembles a giant football gridiron.

The lands are cut in all direction by wide parallel roads much wide ad more numerous than you would fact, these are required, not only to move the immense cane crop, but to check the fires which are apt to spring up, and might destroy the

THE MEXICAN MUDDLE X .- Finding the Answer

By Frederic J. Haskin

problem of a man. Breaking from the earth into a lawless chaos. The hour must bring forth a leader—a liberator with the grip of a Diaz, the constructive genius of a Bismarck, and the honesty of a Washington. Which of the many Mexican chiefs and generals

The tragic revolutionary career of said. 'What are you dreaming about, Francisco Madero proved for all time that only a strong man need hope for success. The honesty of his intentions Jem with a rare smile; 'never in the is rarely questioned. His followers called him the Apostle. But he dreamed of a peaceful conquest, he the stable at Bethlehem, with all was slow to suspicion, and overreluctant to use extreme measures nals there sheep and goats and even against proven enemies. The His illiteracy puts him at the mercy lonkeys and camels. I was think-Diaz were bought without his knowing it all over, and now ded out of ledge by clearer-sighted men, while the inn and no other place to go but he still hoped for a victory through And then it comes to me, an what washed night, just like Mrs. Biddick's doing of the web of intrigue spinning about him, he refused to believe that anyone would conspire against him. He paid for his trustfulness with his life.

Victoriano Huerta pinned his faith to the army. Where Madero trusted his fall, but his ultimate defeat was The . Constitutionalist inevitable. forces to the north and south of him would have overthrown his governanything to 'elp Jesus 'as got his ment in the end, because the people ce in the Bible. Take the shepherds were not with him. Today he is prisoner at Fort Bliss, a negligible factor, weeping because the United States government will not accept his parole

> There are still three leaders in the field, fighting for supremacy in the two great classes of Mexican Mexican affairs; Emiliano Zapata, Francisco Villa, and Venustiano Carranza. Less known in the United States than either of the others, Zapata is easily the most picturesque

He is described as a bandit whos ruthlessness throws into insignificance the bloodiest deeds of any northern leader. His army is said to leave a wake of ruin and desolation. Yet Indian village in the State of Morelos Ah, it was a glorious night where three thousand men were quartered to hunt him down-slept oundly, too, for he knew that neithe fear nor the hope of reward could induce the people of the village to betray him. To the Indians of Morelos he is an idol and a savior, a man to be adored and obeyed.

The strongholds of the Zapatistas lle south of Mexico City, a thousand miles from the American border, where the character of both people and country is quite different from that of the northern states, Morelos is one of the smallest Mexican states, and also one of the richest. The valleys are a riot of tropical vegetation, where sugar, rice and coffee thrive. The old Mexican land system, with its few immensely wealthy proprietors and its thousands of starving peons, flourished here at its worst. Here Zapata was born, himself of a peon family, here he chafed under or without courage, conviction town was a wilderness. A few native the injustice and oppression of the old

As the head of a new Mexico, as the hand to guide the war-torn republic it to them. At best, even overlooking The lands surrounding Nipe Bay, the numberless atrocities attributed to leader. Mexico must look elsewhere

Innumerable descriptions have made Francisco Villa a well-known figure in the United States. He has been painted either as a bloodthirsty bandir or as a high-minded patriot with only the good of his country at heart. Perhaps in truth he is a little of both. He is impulsive and given to fits of rage, but he has withal some tolerance and considerable administrative ability. The Americans along the border whose opinion after all is of first importance to the people of the United States, think well of Villa.

They point out, that while he may lack executive capacity, he has the talent, peculiar to really big men, of picking his subordinates well. If Villa cannot do a job, he at least selects someone who can. He administered smoothly a thousand miles of railway, with mail and express

his miserable rooms on Christmas

Day. And his wife's name was Mary,

E L Paso, Tex., November 23.—The the days of his greatest power, Americans. And his wife's name was Mary, enxious to gain the good-will of the "The very newest member of the restraint of tyranny, the forces of United States. In El Paso they still revolution have burst all bounds and remember gratefully the battle of turned one of the richest lands on Tierra Blanca, when Villa marched his troops five miles from Juarez before giving battle, to prevent stray bullets

from flying across the line.

Since the recognition of Carranza rage has again brought the worst side border is full of tales of his illtreatment of Americans. The discovery of half a million dollars currency in a safe at his brother's jewelry, also seems to cast some doubt on the purity of his motives.

In any event, as a solution of the Mexican problem, Villa is hopeless of his aides and secretaries, who draft he signs. The story of his early life, of the precarious years spent as a the ballot. When he had won the bandit in the Mexican hills with their presidency and his friends warned him utter lack of opportunity for any of the training essential to government, cannot direct the destinies of fifteen million people.

And what of Venustiano Carranza, hold it. The persistent opposition of for the great task of reconstruction, hasn't it in her to fight. In the last of under-estimation. He did not the United States undoubtedly hastened and he alone will have a chance to show how far he is equal to the a Paquin outfit, and some Farrar as 10,000 a day is not a figure manu occasion. Cut off from supplies of high notes, to fall into the arms of factured from late lists in support ammunition it seems impossible that Villa and Zapata should long hold out. Yet the Americans along the border, the men most intelligent and best fitted to judge, say that for troubled Mexico the end is not yet in sight. Carranza is a perfect contrast in

type to both Villa and Zapata, an excellent exemplification with them of society. He is of pure Spanish blood, and of excellent education, while both the other leaders are predominantly Indian and utterly unschooled. Carranza belongs to the landholding class, which makes his large following among the peons more remarkable He is experienced in Mexican politics having been governor of a state, while Villa and Zapata were hunted in the mountains. In common with every other leader, however, he promises a settlement of the land question

In manner, he shows the characteris tics of the aristocratic Mexican class He is reserved, and haughtily dignified Men who know him well describe him as decidedly anti-American. This, too he shares with his class, who have no forgotten the war of 1846 and the loss of what is now the south-western United States.

What makes men doubtful of the stability of his regime is his absolutistic tendency. Americans say he shows the potentialities of a second Diaz. He will brook no opposition tolerate no encroachment on his supremacy. Even the landholding class to which he belongs will be kept down. Reforms may be carried out done with despotisms, benevolent or breaks out. So say Americans whose in the waiting and suspense, followed the war from the beginning. They look for no more than a breathing spell under Carranza.

Will we ultimately be forced to conquer Mexico, though with immensely more difficulty and an imand life than the advocates of interone long battle. Any government we that a president won his chair by American bayonets would overthrow him the moment the bayonets were

Reconstruction must come from within. The crying need is for a leader. The hour is ripe. Lawless and terrorized, harried by bandits, exhausted by war, yet rich as an Eldorado Mexico waits for the man.

From the Other Place

(From the Houston Post)

The Boston Advertiser says "Heaven is a place like Boston." This theory is not universally accepted and we hope it will not be, because service no light task, as any railroad the great majority seem to be too shy president can testify. Moreover, in about going there, anyway.

A Cross Section Of Life Seen In The Magazines

By G. Johns

Birth and death are the supremely important events which form the basis for our vital statistic In naming the high spots of life marriage is usually included with them. But it is the in-between times that make for happiness, and upon which, in after years, memory loves to linger.

Anna Steese Richardson, writing in McClure's, takes a current New York the Use of Being Good?"

"Well, did you see 'Common Clay house by revenue agents, who entered chafing dish expertly handled, is able ledged German casualties, and it Infantry (which number about 250 with a search warrant for smuggled to make an extremely good appearnail. I tried again. "What did you think of it?"

never fooled me for a minute . .

raving beauty like Jane Cowl could get away with a past like that? She goes wrong just because she wants |good times. When she decides to really nice chap she meets, as if she were saying to herself, 'What's the act she comes back from Paris with | The estimate of German wastage the father of her illegitimate child. of my theory that the Deutsche To be sure, he never saw her but Verlustlisten are a capital panaces the audience sidles out talking about don evening paper, three closely yard, the single standard of morality, been accumulating on my desk since bands."

us. Not one?" Taking Chances With Matrimony

Marriage is notoriously a gamble. conservative service on the subject in the Metropolitan:

I don't on the whole recommend it, him for less sentimental reasons is to know a woman really well first, besides, for the German General and marry her afterward. I admit Staff knows that to have the Teutonyou may not arrive anywhere much. 10,000 a day spells eventual and Either at marriage or knowing. I certain disaster. It means that Ger-Marriage is quite a job. If men faced sapped, or "nibbled," as Pere Jostre that right at the start, they'd do puts it, without throwing a single course, are of people of vague per- that the Hun will be crushed while sonality, who fit together easily like still in occupation of Belgium, part those soft, limp, shelless creatures of France, Poland, and Servia. But one finds on the beach.

The Supreme Experience knows, there are also the sorrows Each child takes its parents through tion is palpable beyond all question the whole gamut of emotional ex- Even a nation several times Gerperiences. Maude Radford Warren writing in Pearson's says:-

With birth, all or many of the most fundamental feelings are stirdown. Reforms may be carried out, red. The woman is working for the but only under his direction. And life of her child, all her tender publicly (in November twenty-eight unless the signs are wrong, Mexico is thoughts perhaps forgotten in the stress of the practical exigencies of the enemy public are "fully acotherwise. It will only be a matter of the immortal transaction. Her hustime until a new storm of revolution band it may be, has the harder part, Great Adventure. So far as lies in interests are in Mexico, who have man can go through life without many racking hours, but no hours are so significant in the life of a through the natural channel of the man, as those when he is waiting for Press. Newspapers are strictly forhis child, for it is then that his real bidden from publishing anything but intervention? It should be a last metal appears, not in what he does, the most uniforming summary of The United States might but in what he thinks and feels. Verlustlisten. Space, indeed, would The measure of what he is and can forbid their reproduction, as is done be to his family and to the world is in England. A paper may only anmensely greater expenditure of money shown by the extent to which those nounce in its news columns that Sohours purge him of himself. This and So and So and So and So. vention imagine. It would be a hour of birth will be written of for of perhaps twenty-five or thirty more conquest of blood, sustained by blood. ever, and felt for ever, not only be- or less well-known names in its own Race feeling would make occupation cause it means another life in the world, for good or ill, but also be- wounded, or captured. No paper may might set up would stand only so long cause it marks the dedication of a print anything in the nature of a as we supported it. The mere fact father and mother to their hardest tabulation or computation of losseswork, to their most self-sacrificing service, and to an investment that, despite all it costs, pays in the long run the securest dividends.

Petting the Only Child

H. Addington Bruce, a specialist on child psychology, gives some in-teresting statistics in the Century about the only child, quoting from a census of "only children" under-

German Man Power

Dealing with the question, "Are We Being Fooled?" in regard Man Power, the Daily Mail publishes two extre interesting analyses of German Man Power, the vital question of the war, one by Mr. F. W. Wile, for many years correspondent in Berlin, the other by Mr. Joseph McCabe, the author of "Treitschke and the Great War" equally well known as a leading authority on Germany.

Daily Mail and Author of "Men

of Villa's nature uppermost, and the play as her text, and asks "What's and highly efficacious cure for the blues has reached London.

Around the Kaiser."

It is strictly up to date and it is nade in Germany. It consists of the Macedonia. The completen last night?" Edna, who by the grace made in Germany. It consists of the of a scap box kitchenette and a ance on \$14 a week, nodded her the field are certainly not below reddish-brown head, and pursued the 3,700,000 in killed, wounded, and reddish-brown head, and pursued the even tenor of polishing a pearly pink prisoners, for the closely packed the almost unvarying loss of each pages contain on the average 360 company's fifteen or twenty nonnames each. Before me as I write "Great," replied Edna, still wield- lie Lists Nos. 763 to 800 inclusive of German infantry units, as Hun ing the buffer industriously, "but it for the first twenty-two days of military writers traditionally acknow-

Do you think that anyone except a 195,480 names, or 8,885 a day. As the German military authorities, for reasons best known to themis well known. Obviously, such a man start afresh, she falls for the first the lists are necessarily incomplete, ing systematically out of danger or day-by-day attrition in Russia, which it is preferred not to acknowuse?' meaning what's the use of France, Flanders, Turkey, and Servia ledge. recognized by the United States and fighting when destiny and circum- at close on 10,000 every twenty-four A Certain End too little to his rifies, Huerta trusted the powers of Europe as head of the stances are against you. Destiny hours. British military authorities, too much. He took the presidency by de facto government of Mexico? Of nothing! It was a good-looking I believe, possess evidence that the of the Prussian, Bavarian, Saxon, force, and by force he attempted to all the many leaders he is best fitted man, a likeable man, and a girl who German lists do not err on the side and Wurttemberg armies and of the

once before in his life, but now for November glooms. The tell-tale all units of each arm are incessantly he is just pining for her. And sheets—the exact size of a ld. Lon-represented in the death roll. The Frof. Baker's drama class at Har-crammed columns to the page-have from it-whether it be the Infantry and Jane Cowl's nifty headache the hour the war began, and if I Guard, the Field Artillery of the piled them perpendicularly they Guard, the proud Hussars, or the "But in real life, how many of us would long ago have formed a many could get away with it? Not one of columned peristyle towering to the the youthful flower of the Kaiser's ceiling. In all the world's history legions was long ago used up is there has never been such a death- evident from the enormous holes toll. If it is kept up to the mark which are being cut in the ranks You may like it, and again, you may for Imperial William's cynosure, it of the middle-aged Landwehr and not. Clarence Day, jr., gives some must sicken even him at heart every Landsturm brigades (men up to 45). time he contemplates the rivers of and in the "Substitute Infantry" red ink which have been spilled in regiments. Sappers, telegraph and My own plan of marriage, though the recording of it. It must nauscate this is difficult. In practise, in fact, ic armies used up at the rate of 19,300 pages.

dare say I've left something out man military strength can be vitally believe that "attrition" alone renders better, perhaps. Some unions, of army on to German territory. Not is for men, munitions, and money. that his power to maintain himself 30,000, and the end toward which there, not to speak of advancing his she is indubitably headed be cor-We often hear of the joys of lines or otherwise strengthening his respondingly hastened. The end will parenthood, but as every parent hold, is being effectually and steadily not be speedy, but, in my judgment diminished by remorseless decima-

many's 68,000,000 cannot permanent

ly stand such a drain. Hiding the Truth

One must not imagine that because publicly (in November twenty-eigh were given out in twenty-two days) quainted" with the cost of their No their power, the military authorities are suppr trarily preventing its dissemination community, are among the dead, or say that to November 22, 10,300 pages of casualties have been issued and that they total, roundly, 3,700,000.

The lists are sold, not given away, and, as they cost 1 1/4 d. apiece (which is three times the amount the Ger man pays for his favorite newstaken a few years ago by the paper), that acts, as anybody who psychological department of Clark University. Definite information was obtained as to nearly 400 "only the lavies dependent of Year to the lavies dependent of Year the Year the lavies dependent of Year the lavies dependent of Year the Y the lavish circulation of Verlustlisten.

In their social relations, only 20 the lavish circulation of vertustingth.

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wiped out (for example) in Infantry-By Frederic William Wile

Reserve Regiment No. 18 (Prussian

List No. 368) or in Infantry-Reserve Regiment No. 108 (Saxon List No. 217) were mown down around Loos or Tahure, or swept away by the In the midst of a world of muddle, Russians in the region of Riga, waste, and prograstination, a new Dvinsk, the Styr, and the Strypa, or perhaps annihilated by the gallant Serbs in the fighting for the towns and fortresses between Belgrade and which whole companies of German men) have been rolled up is a striking and constant feature of the casualty lists. No less significant is commissioned officers the backbone November. They contain a total of ledge. The comparative absence of the lists-at rare intervals the loss of a lieutenant or a Staff officer is selves, do not publish their officer recorded-means either that the Gercasualties (except non-coms.), and mans' knightly martinets are keepwe may safely compute the enemy's are being put out of action at a rate

The German lists include the losses Imperial Navy. The losses of Prusspreponderant, as befits not only her superiority in population but her cardinal responsibility for the war. Every arm of the united services and Prussian Guard is never missing of the Guard, the Uhlans of the Guards' machine-gun sections. That telephone detachments, supply trains, army service corps, hospital units, the flying corps—everybody in "field grey"-figure in these eloquent

A disservice indeed would be done to the Allies' cause by trying to make their triumph inevitable. Our need of the hour more urgent than ever The more of them there are the quicker will Germany's 10,000 casualties a day be multiplied to 20,000 and

YES

By Joseph McCabe

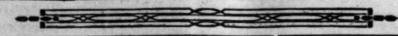
Author of "The Kaiser: His Person ality and Career," "Treitschke and the Great War," "The Soul of Europe," etc.

Among the popular illusions which econcile Englishmen to a merely partial use of our great resource none is more obstinate or more misenemy will soon run short of effect-

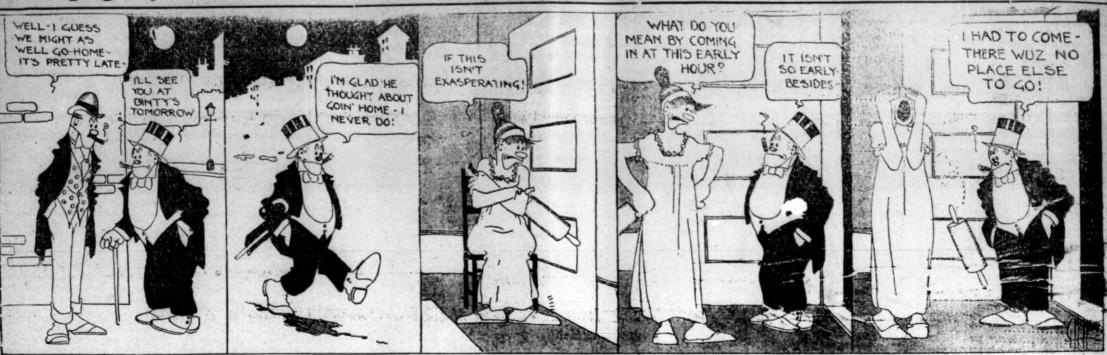
From the first the indolent maxim "Time is on our side" entered into the daily currency of our optimistic of a speedler and more glorious triumph; of Russian steam-rollers. and other cheerful possibilities. Now that these illusions are dispelled, we return to the older oracle of the hour, who drong impressive hints about the sources of his inspiration, is prepared demonstrate mathematically that Germany's effectives will begin to fall at the end of the present year.

When a statesman who regards himself as the most conscientious of Churchill, supports this general belief, and assures the House of Commons that Germany's resc be exhausted "in the second or third the belief be not something more than a popular illusion.

Bringing Up Father



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the age of the entire population, we gather what proportion of these must be accounted of military age. Indeed, the actual figures of the yearly increase are given in the Statistisches Jahrbuch. It is, in other words, an indisputable fact that Germany began the war with at least 14½ million men of military age.

How many of these had been re-

military age. It is estimated in all authoritative publications, and the estimate may easily be checked, that in July 1914 the addition to the population was about 2,886,000. From the census itself, which gives the age of the entire population, we fifteen what proportion of these must be accounted of military age.

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inefficient the German military authorities annually set aside a number of men whom they describe as "less efficient," or not quite up to the standard (minder Taugliche). Even if these be added to the infficient we have by no means a total of three millions. The class averages about 120,000 a year, and, if we allow for deaths, the total of these policient. In face of these policient we have by no deaths, the total of these policient. In face of these policient we have be not death of these policient. In face of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not deaths, the total of these policient we have be not death of the not deaths and the death of the not death o ected as inefficient? Again the figures

youths as "efficient in the future." They are explicitly allotted to the Supplementary Reserve, are entirely fit, and are the men whom Germany will train in time of war.

Wear and Tear

Germany therefore began the war with 14% million effectives, if we include the "less efficient." At what rate are we wearing them down?

rate are we wearing them down? The Prussian casualties to September The Prussian casualties to September 28 were 1,916,143. We may therefore take it that the current estimate, for the whole of Germany, of three million casualties in the first year of the war is fairly safe. It was a year of aggression, and consequently one of high casualties. Now we may guest that about 40 per cent, of our guess that about 40 per cent. of our casualties return, sooner or later, to the field, and it will hardly be suggested that the Germans are less successful. Let us, to be quite safe, assume a dead loss of two million men per year. But your optimist seems generally to forget that more than half a million annually reach military age, and this reduces the dead annual loss to 1½ millions.

The situation really is, therefore, that at the present time Germany has about 12 million men of military age, apart from the inefficient, and we are wearing these down at guess that about 40 per cent. of our

and we are wearing these down at the net rate of 1½ millions a year How far industrial needs affect the action cannot be stated with pre



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published in so readily accessible a work as the Statistisches Jahrbuch (an official publication). Yet the and apprehensive public with most reckless and amazing figures the standard (minder Taugliche), a secret that were better guarded. are current in England, and it is Even if these be added to the inplain that we have here one of the and easily accessible figures will thoroughly unsound bases of the of three millions. The class averages inform any person that Germany optimistic estimate. The German eleven and twelve million effectives, a little over a thousand convicted minder Taugliche among the 'ving "inefficient" (Untaugliche). I have, two millions. nilitary age. It is estimated in all during those twenty-five years—a Germany's effectives.

are public property, and are annually inefficient the German military military authorities reject every year allow for deaths, the total of these criminals and about 36,000 a year as population is considerably less than But they are not in order to ascertain closely what "inefficient" and are not "rejected," proportion of the actual men of milliveven in time of peace. They are tary age have been rejected, examined allotted to the Landsturm or third The German census of 1910 re- tary age have oven rejected, examined another to the valed that at that time there were the figures over a period of twenty- line of defence. The Landsturm is in the country 13,808,133 males of five years. When we allow for deaths this class of it must count among





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Chinese Exchange Rates

Rates of Exchange Bank of China

(Shanghai Branch) Mexican Dollars, 72.975 Chinese Dollars, 72.90 On Peking, Demand, 105 1/2 On Tientsin, Demand, 106 1/8 On Newchwang, Demand, 85% On Hankow, Demand, 103 1/2 On Chungking, Demand, 1051 On Nanchang, Demand, 74 1/2 On Foochow, Demand, 9878 On Amoy, Demand, 7213 On Swatow, Demand, 99%

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On Canton, Demand, payable in Canton (997) Taels, 8813 January 5, 1916.

London Rubber Market

Reuter's Service London, January 4.-Following ar today's rubber prices:-Plantation, First Latex.

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ot 4 2 to 4 3 April to June delivery 4 1 to 4 2 endency of market, very firm with little offering.

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This competition is not confined to nd we are informed that

shippers in Manchester have

them samples of a considerable range of Japanese goods, including dhooties with colored borders. It has generally been supposed that the Japanese standard of labor was not equal to the production of these highelass 1/2) 0 6 133 Froods, and it is possible of course that Standard Tin (Cash) ... 174 0 0 tions may give a wrong impression samples produced under special condiof the possibilities of manufacture generally. The Japanese are taking increasing quantities of American cotton, and it is probable that these goods are made from it, though we do not know that they are; possibly they may take a little more trouble over Indian cotton than Lancashire pinners-with their (operatives to placate-are able to do. The rather disturbing circumstance is that the Japanese are not merely making these goods, but are offering them at Shanghai Wharf remarkably low prices. Of course Hongkong Wharf they have advantages over us now. The artificial conditions of the cotton supply induced by the state of Ameri. Anglo-French Land. can exchange, the shortage of labor. China Land which has increased the cost of pro- Wei-hai-wei Land ... Wei-hai-wei Land ... freight and other expenses have China Realty (pref.).
helped to make our goods comparativate deer. Janan's labor is always.

Cotton Mills tively dear. Japan's labor is always tively dear. Japan's labor is always cheap, it has low freights, and it is E-wo Pref, possible enough that some form of International bounty or special rates help the International Pref, . manufacturer or shipper, And, pro- Laou-kung-me thing that we have to face, and have

In reference to the above, Mr. T. Green Island
Bristol writes to the Manchester
Guardian:

I have recently left India having
Shanghai Sumatra

I have recently left India, having been connected with the cotton trade there for 15 years. It is not quite true to assume that the competition you mention has arisen since the war. Months before this disturbance was thought of Japanese goods were being the state of the state o I have recently left India, having colored zephyrs, at prices I could not Alma touch. Japanese peperal drill I had Amherst to quote against at 8½ a per lb. The Anglo-Java cost of producing the same in Bombay from Indian cotton at 275 rs. per candy is as follows:—Cotton up to spindle, 6.6 a. per lb.; spindle charges, 1.5 a. per lb.; weaving charges, 1.5 a. Bute per lb.; total 9.6 a. per lb. The Chemor United ... per lb.; total 9.6 a. per lb. The Chemor United ...

Japanese drill was a little better cloth Chempedak zephyrs showed the same comparative difference, (and, moreover, being manufactured from approximately Kamunting 30's counts, they cannot be manuface Kapala tured by the Indian mills from Indian Kapayang

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Yesterday's Prices

resterday s.	Frices	Following were the
STOCK	Closing Quotations	at the Singapore rubber on Dectmber 22 and 23
Banks		Sheet
H. K. & S. B Chartered Russo-Asiatic Cathay, ordy, Cathay, pref	825 B, 652. R. 187½ N. 2.35 B. 6.70.	Smoked Fine Ribbed Smoked Good Ribbed
Marine Insurances		Smoked Fine Plain
Canton North China Union of Canton Yangtsze	\$425. Tis. 1821/4. \$950. \$270 S.	Smoked Good Plain Unsmoked Fine Ribbed Unsmoked Good Ribbed Unsmoked Fine Plain
Fire Insurances China Fire Hongkong Fire	\$152 B. \$402 ½ S.	Unsmoked Good Plain Crepe Fine Pale Thin
Shipping		Good Pale Thin
Indo-China Pref	Tls. 126 B.	Good Pale Blanket
"Shanghai Tug Shanghai Tug Kochien	90s. 7½d. Tls. 19½. Tls. 53 B. Tls. 20 B.	Good Brown Blanket Fine Brown
Mining A Kaiping Oriental Cons Philippine Raub	Tfs. 12.35. 35s. Tfs. 3 S. Tfs. 3 S.	Scrap Firgin and Pressed Loose
Docks		Sheet
Hongkong Dock Shanghai Dock New Eng. Works		Cupwashing

Tls. 92½ B. \$77 B. Tis. 106 IS Fis. 50 N. Tis. 106. Tis. 3. \$63/4 B. Tis. 60 B. Tis. 52 B.

Tis, 72 B. TIS. 71 B. TIs. 42 S. Tls. 90 B. Tls. 14 B. Tls. 5.60 B. Tls. 110.

Industrials faced before. It is impossible while Anglo-German Br'y . \$95 N. T1s. 23 N. T1s. 6 S. \$125 Sa. the war is on to estimate the menace. Butler Tile but it is well that we should not dis- China Flour Mill . China Sugar 810.10 Sa. TIS, 35 Sa. Tls, 130 B.

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LANGKAT DAILY OUTPUT

The following telegraphic in the general agent from the Suma tra director and manager of the Maatschappij tot Mijn-Bosch-en Landbouwexploitatie in Langkat: "The output of crude oil for January 4 was 135 tons."

Singapore Rubber Auction

prices realise

December 22 and 23, 1915

r auction held per pel @ 198-180 ,, 181-167 " 160 1..... , 175-160 ,, 183-146 , 199-181 ,, 187-180 ,, 179-178 ., 184-166 , 176-144

...... .. 171-146 ,, 151-126 .. 141-116 ,, 118- 70 , 161-132 'ine pale Crepe ..

Catalogued for sale Pcls: 6265— old Pcle: 4050. The Rubber market has been pracically unchanged during the past week. Our auction yesterday opened ap firm, with prices varying from 191-180 for ribbed smoked Sheet, and from \$191-185 for fine pale Crepe. During the afternoon the demand slackened off and the same grades sold at a few points less. Brown and valish Crepes were, however, in strong demand throughout the day at prices almost in level with those for rime grades.

The auction was continued this Mr. orning, when a firmer competition again set in. Fine ribbed smoked Sheet reached \$193, and fine pale Crepe touched \$199. The prices regular, but the market on the whole airly strong. Banks' buying rate on

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A coolie stood just outside the doo of the Mixed Court with a fixed gaze on his corrugated face like that of a setter pup who has spotted a bush full of quail. If you had followed the dotted line of his look you would have found that its target was the cigarette which Ah Zee-foh had just lighted.

"Call Ah to the witness stand," said a pompous voice inside.

The coolie moistened his lips and his hungry look became more feverish. Surely now that Ah was called to the stand he would have to cast the cigarette from him. Then he, the coolle, would rescue it from the floor and inhale its ecstacles into his system. Ah must surely throw the cigarette away.

Which is exactly what Ah did not do. He looked at the cigarette regretfully for a moment, and would have thrown it away had not the spirit of a thrift; or, who was hovering about given him an inspiration. He knocked in



while what the accused had said was lies from start to finish and back again. As he talked the gaze of those near him dilated with wonder. The magistrate took off his glasses and wiped them carefully before putting

th m back and scrutinizing Ah again. For as he talked a thin thread of smoke from the unseen cigarette ascended out of his garments. It was not a black, hurrying cloud such as would come from a factory chimney, but a lazy, comfortable thread such as goes up from a peaceful farmhouse on a quiet evening in the last part of Cotches (co. 1).

a quiet evening in the last part of October (or the first of November).

"I hope." breathed the coolle who was watching from the door, "that his clothes catch on fire. It would be just punishment for one so callous to the needs of the poor."

The fears and wonders of those in court were cleared away as the

court were cleared away as the witness walked toward the door, withdrew his cigarette and slipped hastily out with the author of the smoke in its rightful place.

Fifteen minutes later the coulte received the represent

rescued the remains of the cigarette from a gutter outside the building. It

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butt that he only got three puffs and blister from what was left. of the Heads of Children

It is assumed that Wong Tung-sung as once a boy himself. And that efore he was a boy he was a baby. I am sure he would not have liked for

am sure he would not have liked for anyone to steal his garments on such a cold day as was yesterday had he been too small to make any protest other than howls.

Yesterday a police constable saw Wong coming up the Bund with the high gear in and a yelling mob of Chinese after him. One of the pursuers carried a 3-year old buby who jogged up and down in a dangerous manner as his father ran—the sald jogging imparting weird fluctuasaid jogging imparting weird fluctua-

said Jogains imparting weird fluctuations to his cries.

"What thing?" demanded the constable as he ensnared the fugitive.

"He stole a fur cap from my son,"
said the father of the clamorous baby,
"The cap of my little Sung Koh-lians
he has snatched from the head of my
on and heir and now wears it himself. He has taken the cap of one of
the brightest, if not the brightest,
child in all China. My son is going to
be the greatest scholar.

"I did not steal the baby's cap,"
protested Wong. "This is my cap."
The constable looked at the bonnet
and gave a snort of incredulity.
"If it is yours," he demanded, "why
then does it cover but one corner of

then does it cover but one corner of

"Oh." smiled Wong, "that is because I have had this can so long that I have outgrown it. As yet I have been unable to buy another. I have a

cousin who is going to present me with one for a New Year's gift."

For answer Wone was brought into the Mixed Court where the outraged feelings of little Sung were assuaged with a non-month outer state. one-month sentence against the

In the Courts

Abbass Enemy Trading Case The charges of enemy trading against S. H. and O. Abbass came up in the British Supreme Court yester-day before Sir Havilland de Sausmarez. The defendants pleaded not guilty. Mr. H. P. Wilkinson, crown advocate, asked that the hearing should be heard in camera. Mr. Francis Ellis, representing the accused, did not object to the exclusion of the public and the application was granted. The trial will, be begun today. Counterfeiting Case

The case against Sung Kuh-jung and Choeh Zung was resumed in the Mixed Court yesterday afternoon before Mr. Perkins, the American before Mr. Perkins, the American assessor, and Magistrate Waung. The men are charged with being accomplices of a gang that passed a vast amount of counterfeit Hupen government currency and also with furnishing capital in forged notes to band with problem of the counterfeit of the counterfeit which replaced the counterfeit of the count a band which robbed the home of a

a band which robbed the home of a wealthy man in Hupeh.

Mr. G. D. Musso prosecuted the case for the Chinese Government. In the first hearing the day before Mr. K. E. Newman, prosecutor for the police, read a statement in one of the local Chinese papers, which charged that Mr. Musso had gone over the case with the magistrate before the hearing. He also intimated that

the case with the magistrate before the hearing. He also intimated that he opposed the charges brought against the men.

The Chinese papers say that the two prisoners are famous rebels, though no revolutionary angle has yet appeared in the court proceedings. Mr. J. W. Rice, appearing for the accused, charged that the counterfelting accusations were trumped up.

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At yesterday's hearing Mr. New-man told the court that he had something further to say. He de-clared that he had been instructed to modify the statement he made the day before. He said that he neither

day before. He said that he neither opposed nor supported the application made by Mr. Musso and that at the present stage of the proceedings he was merely watching the case in behalf of the police.

Mr. Musso then called the principal witness for the prosecution on the stand. His name was Wen Tsungyuing and he had been sent to Shanghai by the Nanking authorities to testify in the case. He described Shanghai by the Nanking authorities to testify in the case. He described the finding of a large amount of counterfeit money in his baggage and implicated the two prisoners in the deal. He denied that he had ever been to Shanghai to testify in the Mixed Court before. The witness said that he had been a school teacher and secretary.

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Scientists today are much less satisfied with themselves than was the case a decade ago. The science which deals with the examination and explanation of states of consciousness and with mental processes, the science known as "psychology" is in its babyhood. It has advanced just sufficiently far to realise how little it actually knows about the mysteries with which it deals. Behind the contents of the mind at any given moment there is a whole background, only dimly discernible, of past mental experience This is often called the sub-conscious mind. Our subliminal self was strange entity slowly being built up out of our continued mental ex

Of the forces which operated in that mental under world it was scarcely time to speak with any definiteness. It was clear from such phenomena as hypnotism and mental telepathy that minds could affect one mind and will.

Dr. Merrins said that the phenom ena known as diabolical possession was not uncommon, particularly in

ountries of backward civilisation, the paper. Mr. Chatley asked whebut he thought that, together with defined nervous malady in which necessary to posit the existence of disorder of personality or divided malevolent spiritual influences which personality was the chief symptom. acted from cutside the personality, The lecturer gave many instances of The question obviously involved the multiple personality which had come

ther all the phenomena classed as many other ideas, this needed to be demoniacal possession could be exre-clothed. Often the possessed per- plained by the strange behavior of on was suffering from some well- the subliminal self, or whether it was whole problem of the reality of the

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E Letters and boxes with declared value 10 a.m. Parcel post and Value 10.30 a.m. Was Registration 3.30 a.m. K Registration 3.30 a.m. L Registration 11 a.m. M Money letters and Parcels noon.

9 a.m. G Letters and boxes with declared value 10.30 a.m. Parcel post

British Post Office:-Until further notice the ordinary and registered letter mails for Europe via Pukow

and Siberia will be closed at 5 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. There will be a supplementary receipt of unregistered correspondence between 8.30 and 9 o'clock on the same evenings during which time the office will be open for the sale of stamps only. Chinese Post Office:-Until further notice, mails for Europe, via Pukow and Siberia, will be closed

at the Chinese Post Office as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 9 p.m. Registered mails are closed half an hour earlier. Japanese Post Office:-Until further notice a mail will be despatched for Europe, via Dalny, every Tuesday morning, and via Pukow and Mukden, by the night-train on Wednesday and Saturday.

German Post Office:-Mails for Chinklang, Nanking and Hankow close every day at 11 a.m. and 9 p.m. and for Tsinanfu, Tientsin and Peking, via Pukow, at 9 p.m.

Mails for Hankow closes every day at 11.30 a.m. Registration at 11.30 a.m. and for Peking and Tientain every day at 9 a.m. Registration to 5 p.m. at the Russian post office.



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Vegetables

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Persimmo

Pineapples

Pumeloes

Walnuts

Artichokes

Asparagus

Beetroot

Celery Carrots

Cabbages

Egg Plant

French Beans

Green Corn

Bamboo Shoots

Broad Beans

Pears

Future Sailings									
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Jan	6	D.L.	Taingtau Dalor	Hakushin Maru Isshin Maru	Jap.	Y-biko Tanaka	SMR.
	6 7	P.M.	Tientein Viadivostock	Sishan Simbirak Kobe Maru	Rus.	Simons Milerzoro# Yajima	K M. A. R V F S. M. R.
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A.M. M.N .- Midnight, D.L .- Daylight.

Arrivals

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Jan Jan Jan	5 Vingpo 5 Vidivos'ock 5 Hankow 6 Hankow 5 Ywargtao	Sein Peking Sein Ningshao Simbirak Kiangheir Chikuzen Maru Banping Sishan		Chi Rrs. Chi, Jap. Chi.		B. & B. Ningshao R. V. F. CM.S N Co N. Y. K. B. & B. K M A	9 P

Departures

Joh-		for	'hip s Name		Flog	Captain .	Agents	
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Jan		Japan	Glen'ogan	3209	Br.	Henderson	GL	
		San Francisco	J. A. Muffett	₹6 7	Am.	Bridg ett	3 Oil Co	
		Hankow. ato.	fuckwo	2672	Br.	Philip	I. M. & Co.	
BOOK STATE	- 5	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Kwongeang	2283	Br.	Bichard	J. M. & Co.	
		Hankow, etc.,	Calee Maru	2978		Inword	N. K. K.	
		Hankow, etc.,	(Assa)	2672	Br.	Frazier	R. A.M.	
	8	Taing'au	Wenchow	898	Br.	Paralow	B. & M.	
		Hongkong, Canton	toder	1855	Br.	Eedy	B. & S.	
100		Chefon	Kansu	1143	Br.	Monkmen	B. & S.	
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	5	Woil	Changking	1084	tr.	Monkman	B. & S.	
STATE OF		Hankow, etc.	hangon	1289	Br.	T'ndall	G. & Co.	
19/201		Clentain	Tungwah	745	Chi.	Wallace	C.M.SN.Co	
		liwatow	Heinkong	1264	Chi.	Halkett	C.M. S N Co	
	6	(Wabu ,	Foonan	942	Chi.	Mackie	C.M.SN.Co.	
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		Inland Water	Chichibu Maru	1169	Jap.	Masuda	W.R.K	
60000	- 8	Japan	Ateuta Mero	5284	Jap.	Yoshikawa	N. Y. K.	
100	. 6		Otaru Maru	1249	Jap.	Tababashi	M. B. K.	
MEDIO OF S	W.	Vingpe	Hein Peking	2868	Br.	Stott	B. & B.	
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Clearances

Date	For	Site o Name	"089	"ing	Captain	Aponts
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Men-of-War In Port

Bection	Dat		Prom	Name	Flag and Rating	Tone	Guas	Men	Commander
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The French gunboats D. de Lagree and Decidee, the Japanese gun boats Fushimi, Sumida and Toba, and the British gunboat Woodlark are not included in this list, being dismantled.

Sailed from Shanghai

Owned Hotel Di	angua
For London, etc.	136,757.07
City of Bombay	Nov. 21
Glengyle	Nov. 25
Harima Maru	Dec. 18
Hirano Maru	Nov. 14
Kamo Maru	Dec. 12
Kashima Maru	Dec. 26
Katori Maru	Nov. 28
Kioto	Dec. 14
Lycaon	Dec. 18
Mentor	Nov. 27
Nagoya	Nov. 18
Ningchow	Nov. 25
Peleus	Dec. 31
Pyrrhus	Dec. 8
For Marseilles, etc.	
Polynesien	Dec. 8
For Bombay	
Namur**	Dec. 12
Nankin**	Dec. 26
Sardinia**	Nov. 29
For Vancouver, etc.	
Aki Maru	Dec. 5
Chicago Maru	Dec. 5
Hawaii Maru	Nov. 20
Hazel Dollar	Nov. 23
Monteagle	Dec. 13
Shidzuoka Maru	Nov. 16
Shimpo Maru	Dec. 10
Tamba Maru	Dec. 19
Yokohama Maru	Dec. 28

For New York	
Daylight S.V.	Nov. 9
Inverclyde	Nov. 28
Saint Bede	Nov. 13
For San Francisco, etc	2.
Manila Maru	Dec. 24
Panama	Dec. 16
Shinyo Maru	Jan. 1
Tenyo Maru	Dec. 3
For Copenhagen	
Indien (E.A.C.)	Nov. 4
Madala	Nov. 24
Yeddo	Nov. 22
**With English M	ail.

Vessels To Arrive

1		1000 April 100	Mary 1
1	FROM LONDON,	ETC.	
1		Sailed	*Due
1	Alcinous	Jan. 1	Feb.
1	Atreus	Dec. 11	Jan. 2
1	Fushimi Maru	Jan. 15	Feb. 2
1	Helenus	Nov. 27	Jan. 1
1	Hirano Maru	Jan. 29	Mar. 1
1	Hyson	Nov. 13	Jan. 1
1	Karmala	Dec. 11	Jan. 2
	Kitano Maru	Jan. 1	Feb. 1
1	Katori Maru	Feb. 5	Mar. 2
	Knight Companion	Nov. 27	Jan. 1
	Laertes	Nov. 20	Jan. 1
1	Laoredon	Dec. 18	Jan. S
1	Miyazaki Maru	Dec. 18	Jan. 5
1	Mongara	Nov. 19	Jan.
	Monmouthshire		Jan.
	Namur		Feb.
	Nagoya	Feb. 5	Mar.
	Nellore**	Dec. 16	Jan.
	Nore	Dec. 24	Feb.
	Oupack	Nov. 11	Jan.
	Pingsuey	Dec. 3	Jan.
	Priam	Nov. 13	Jan.
	Rhesus	Dec. 26	Feb.
	Sardinia**	Dec. 30	Jan.
	Telamachus	Oct. 30	Jan.
	Tottori Maru	Nov. 18	Jan.
	FROM VANCOUV	ER, ETC	1.
,	Aki Maru	Jan. 11	Feb.
0	Awa Maru	Dec. 14	Jan.
	Sado Maru	Nov. 24	Jan.
	Shidzuoka Maru	Dec. 24	Jan.
	Tamta Maru	Jan. 25	Feb.
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H	FROM VANCOU	VER, ETC	
0	Aki Maru	Jan. 11	Feb.
٥,	Awa Maru	Dec. 14	Jan. 1
	Sado Maru	Nov. 24	Jan.
	Shidzuoka Maru	Dec. 24	Jan. 2
0	Tamta Maru	Jan. 25	Feb. 2
w	LEFT SYDNEY		
	Eastern	Dec. 15	Jan. 12
	FROM NEW YOR	RK	
	City of Baroda	Oct. 30	Jan. 10
	City of Colombo	Nov. 15	Jan. 2
	Egremont Castle	Oct. 15	Jan. 18
-	Grena	Nov. 24	Jan. 30
0	Indra		Jan 8
	Kathlamba	Oct. 15	Jan. 28
0	St. Patrick	Oct. 15	Jan.
0	Welsh Prince	Oct. 30	Jan. 30
	FROM MARSEII	LES	
	Andre Lebon	Dec. 26	Jan. 2
9	Cordillere	Dec. 12	Jan. 14
	Portnos	Nov. 28	Jan.
	FROM GOTHEN	BURG	
	Tongking		Jan. 10
	FROM SAN FRA	NCISCO, E	TC.
H	Chiyo Maru	Dec. 18	CONTRACTOR OF THE
-	Mexico Maru		Feb. 15
1	Panama Maru		Jan. 16
1	Tenyo Maru		Feb. 18

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Tuscan Prince

*Due date is approximate

"Tran birment from Colombo

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW and PORTS.—The Co.'s Hankow for Shanghal today: str. Fengyang Maru, Capt. S. Takano, will be despatched from the N.Y.K. wharf on Thursday, January 6, at midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha, To. 5, the Bund. Tel. No. 3256.

HANKOW and PORTS.-The str. Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N.

HANKOW and PORTS .- The Co's str. Yohyang Maru, Capt. K. Takeshita, will be despatched from the Pootung N.K.K. Wharf on Friday, January 7, at midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha, No. 5, the Bund. Tel. No. 3256.

For Southern Ports

FOOCHOW .-- The str. Hsinming Capt. H. Mackenion, will leave on Thursday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG and CANTON.-The str. Feiching, Capt. A. B. Baines, will leave on Thursday morning.

Company, Agents.

sengers and mails will leave the Customs jetty at 5 p.m. For Passage apply to the American Trading Co.,

For Northern Ports

DAIREN .- The str. Anping Maru, Capt. W. Miura, will be despatched Bernard. from the Co.'s Yangtszepoo wharf on the 8th inst., at noon. The steamlaunch conveying passengers on board will leave the jetty in front of 21 the Agents' Office at 11 a.m., on the same day. For Freight or Passage, apply to the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha, Agents, No. 5, the Bund. Tel No. 3256.

For Foreign Ports

SAN FRANCISCO via NAGA-15 HONOLULU.—The s.s. Chiyo Maru, and Mr. Glass. 22,000 tons, Capt. E. Bent, will be despatched on Friday, January 28. Passengers booked to all points in America and ports in Great Britain 10 and Europe. The tender conveying or Passage apply to the American Trading Company, Agents.

For Japan

NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKO-HAMA.—The s.s. Chiyo Maru, 22,000 tons, Capt. E. Bent, will be despatched on Friday, January 28. The tender conveying passengers and mails will leave the Customs jetty at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage

Shipping Items

The I.-C. s.s. Choysang left Hongfor Shanghai via Foochov yesterday. The I.-C. s.s. Loongwo left Han-

kow for Shanghai on Monday. The C.N. s.s. Luchow left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday. The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung left Hanow for Shanghai on Tuesday. The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday. The N.K.K. s.s. Tachang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Tues-

The I.-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday. The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah left Han-

kow for Shanghai yesterday. The N.K.K. s.s. Siangyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday. The Blue Funnel s.s. Hyson left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday The M.M. s.s. Porthos with the French mails of November 28 left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday, January 3, at noon and may be expected to arrive at Shanghai

(S.M.R. Co.'s Whangpoo wharf) oday, at 6 a.m.

The I.-C. a.s. Kutsang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow. The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru will eave Hankow for Shanghai today. The I.-C. s.s. Sulwo will leave

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today. The C.N. s.s. Shangtung will leave

Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The M.M. s.s. Athos with the American mails left Kobe for Shanghai on Monday, January 3, at 11 Oranges Kianghsin, Capt. J. R. Milligan, will p.m. and may be expected to arrive leave on Thursday night. For at Woosung this morning at 6 a.m. and at Shanghai (M.M. Co.'s Lower Buoys) on the same day at 9 a.m. The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Plums

Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow. The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow. The C.M. s.s. Anping left Amoy for Swatow yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday. The C.M. s.s. Hsinyu will leave ochow for Shanghai tomorrow. The C.M. s.s. Irene left Swatow for

moy on Tuesday. The C.M. s.s. Kwangchi left Wenchow for Shanghai yesterday.

Passengers Arrived

Per R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk from For Vladivostock:-Mr. Fedoroff, Mr. Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Kriloff, Mr. Terlotsky, Mr. Wech-Peas Potatoes nevsky, Mr. Potapoff, Miss Starcoff, HONGKONG.-The s.s. Chiyo Mr. Shmidt, Mr. Egoroff, Mr. Evans. Radishes Maru, 22,000 tons, Capt. E. Bent, Per s.s. Atsuta Maru from Hong-Spinach will be despatched on Tuesday, Jan. kong:—Mr. and Mrs. A. McDermid 11, 1916. The tender conveying and child, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Waig-passengers and mails will leave the nein, Mrs. M. E. Bowden and child, Turnips Customs jetty at 5 p.m. For Pas- Messrs. H. E. Spencer-Payne, A. D. sage apply to the American Trading Black, Benn Adolphe, J. Elmore, E. Bergmann, H. K. Dang, G. S. Bien, Arrivé From Ship's Name Cos Flas Captain Agents Berth HONGKONG.-The s.s. Persia C. C. Chang, R. Kay, T. G. Smeaton, Maru, 9,000 tons, Capt. K. Hashi- W. S. Tong, W. Rossiter and S. S. moto, will leave on Tuesday, January

Low, Misses A. A. N. Fairley and C. 25, 1916. The tender conveying pas- Lora, Staters G. Chiocca, A. Coradini and L. Menolfi.

Per s.s. Kianghsin from Hankow: -Masters J. and L. Root, Messrs. S. H. Day, A. Kemball and A. F. Henckendorff, From Wuhu:-Mr. Chang, Mr. Fathers Leguellie and

Mr. Friss. Per s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo:-Miss Zyallo, and Mr. H. E.

Per s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: -Mr. and Miss Namdaw

Passengers Departed

Per s.s. Hsin Peking for Ningpo: Miss Wadman Per s.s. Kinling for Kiukiang:-

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Wright. Per s.s. Poyang for Hankow:-Sisters A. Coradini, L. Menolfin and C. Gluseffiner.

Per s.s. Sinkiang for Hongkong:-SAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and Mrs. Simpson, Capt. W. J. French

Launch Services

g passengers and mails will leave the departing passengers and mails to The tender Whangpoo conveying Customs jetty at 5 p.m. For Freight the M.M. s.s. Porthos will leave th Co.'s jetty at 11.30 a.m.

TOMORROW

The tender conveying departing passengers and mails to the R.V.F jetty at 3 p.m. sharp.

Provision Prices in Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican ompiled on January 4, 1916.

Beef	per lb.	12-18
Mutton		12-18
Pork		20-28
Veal .		20-25
	Fish	
Bream	per lb.	14-16
Cod		12-14
Pomfret .		20-25
Mandarin	**	20-30
Mackerel		15-25
Salmon		18-20
Samli		none
Soles		16-18
Whitebalt		20-25
Game, Pe	oultry and E	ggs

Whitebalt		20-25
Game, P	oultry and E	ggs
Deer	each \$	1.50-2.0
Duck		50-80
Eggs	per-doz.	16-18
Fowl	per lb.	16-18
Geese	each	80-1.0
Hare		30-35
Partridge		40-50
Pheasant	aconde le sil es	50-60
Pigeons		18-20
Plover		10-12
Quall		14-16
Snipe		16-18
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Teal	each	14-16
Wild Duck	•	30-35
Wild Geese		30-40
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Woodcock

Wild Pigeon

Flour, American 12-20 Apricots Flour, Shanghai per 50 lb. \$2.50 4-5 per 200 lb. 7.40 Cherries Milk Cocoanuts Chestnuts 16-18 Foreign dairies per bottle per lb. none Chinese dairies Grapes per lb. 15-20 per 174 lbs. \$3.00 each 7-8 Bran Lichees none Mangoes each House Coal per ton Tis. 9.50 per doz. none Stove Coal Tls.16.00 Tls.12.00 Melons

5-10

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15-20

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15-16

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10-12 2-3 20-30

6-8 15-20

none 5-6

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per pic. \$1.80-2.4

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Firewood

Siccawei Weather Report

per 60 bundles \$1.00

E. KILNER.

4 .- A powerful anticyclone invades northern China, and progresses radually southwards. Very strong winter monsoon, in Shantung. Overast, but generally fine weather. 5.-Overcast and dry weather at Shanghai. Strong N.E. breezes. The pressure is rising at an increasing rate.

Meteorological Headings

Wednesday, Januar	y 5, 1	915.
WEATHER. 4	A.M.	9 A.M.
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u , lehes	80 36	30.60
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Variation n m, for 12 h	+2,76	+1.86
(Direction	NNB	NNE
Wind Kilom per hour	19	32
Miles	118	19 5
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Temperature Cen	48 9	45 0
Humidity: eo	76	74
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	Aug 4	leben	Bansel Maru	1597	Jap.	emoto	S. Shokai	LPDW
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FORD THINKS MISSION WAS PARTIAL SUCCESS

So He Tells Bryan, Yet Is Described As a Sick And Disappointed Man

(Reuter's Agency War Service) New York, January 3 .- Henry Ford has arrived in New York, a sick and disappointed man. He refused to receive interviewers.

In a conference with Mr. W. J Bryan, Mr. Ford expressed the belief that his mission will be a partial

Oil-Ship Explosion Kills Twenty People

(Reuter's Agency War Service) New York, January 4.- Twenty mer have been killed by a mysterious explosion on board the bulk oil steamer Aztec (2,332 tons; London & Pacific Petroleum Co.).

TSAR'S DETERMINATION

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Petrograd, January 4.-The Empero of Russia, addressing the Knights of St. George, yesterday, said that Russia will not conclude peace till she has chased the enemy from Russian territory, nor will she complete such a peace except in full agreement with her allies, to whom she is bound by true friendship and blood.

Business and Official - - Notices - - -

Senawang Rubber Estates

Monday, the 17th day of January, 1916, to those shareholders on record on 10th January, 1916.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 10th to 17th January, 1916, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

Hugo Reiss & Co., Secretaries & General Managers Shanghai, 17th December, 1916.

UNIVERSAL WEEK OF PRAYER January 3rd to 8th, 1916.

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SHANGHAI TO ZAH KOU. "DOWN"

TIMES

Shanghai High School and Kindergarten,

NOTICE is hereby given that THE First Term of the year 1916 at a meeting of the Board of will commence on Wednesday, Directurs held on 16th December, 1915, it was decided to pay a third interim dividend of 10%, equal to Tls. 0.50 per share, on the Capital of the Company, on the Honorary Secretary, who will be pleased to furnish any further information.

A. H. MANCELL, Hon. Secretary.

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SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY

ABRIDGED TIME TABLE IN FORCE FROM THE 1st NOVEMBER, 1915.

MAIN

STATIONS

Tenyo Maru to Take Shanghai Delegation To Manila Carnival

Arrangements Completed For Record Gathering At Better Show Than Ever

We are officially informed that Manila is decking itself out for the greatest carnival ever staged in this part of the world. The information is furnished by Mr. Adolph Spitzel, who is in Shanghai boosting the show. Mr. is in shangnal boosting the show. Ar. Spitzel declares fervently that every man who misses the festival is doing himself a gross injustice.

The Carnival opened February 5 and closes February 14. They are making

preparations for a record crowd. Special arrangements are being made to carry the Shanghai delegation.
The T. K. K. steamer Tenyo Maru is the to call at Shanghai February 1 and will sail direct to Manila. Returning, the Bund be named after the late

vercoat collar up and shivering stentatiously, he enumerated: It will be a blessing to escape from rinter in Shanghal to the weather we

there will be balls, parades, motor polo, all sorts of track and water sports, flower battles, fireworks, motoring, and

It might be well to remember that a visit to the city of Manila itself is worth more than the visit will cost. There are long and beautiful drives and the charming sections of the old Spanish with the head of the city which the Armelone. Spanish city which the American administration has beautified and robbed of all unpleasant features.

Mail Notices

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga M. Jan. Per R.V.F. s.s. Poltava....Jan. Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikuzen M. Jan. for U.S., Canada, and Europe:-Per N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru Jan. 1 Per R.M. s.s. Em. of Japan Jan. 21 Per T.K.K. s.s. Chiyo M. Jan. 2 Per N.Y.K. s.s. Awa Maru Jan. 29

For Europe, via Suez:-Per M.M. s.s. Athos.....Jan. 8 Per N.Y.K. s.s. Mishima M. Jan. 8 Per P. and O. s.s. Novara Jan. 10

fails to Arrive:-

The French mail of December 12 is due at Hongkong on January 10, and here on January 14. Left Port said on December 18, per M.M. s.s. Cordillere.

The French mail of November 28 is due here today at 6 a.m. Hongkong on January 3 per M.M. s.s.

Porthos.

The English mail of November 27 is due at Hongkong on January 7 and here on January 11. Expected to leave Hongkong on January 8, per

to leave Hongkong on January 8, per P. and O. s.s. Néllore.
The American mail left Kobe on January 3, and is due here today per M.M. s.s. Athos.
The French mail of December 26 is due at Hongkong on January 24, and here on January 27. Left Port Said on December 31, per M.M. s.s. Ahdre Lebon (maiden trip.)

TIMES

ZAH KOU TO SHANGHAL "UP

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News Brenities

According to a census con the municipal council on October 16, there are 620,401 Chinese in the Settlement. This does not include the French Concession or the native city As is the case with foreigners, there has been a steady and healthy growth of the Chinese population. The present figures show the enormou increase of 132,396 since 1910. In 1890 there were 168,129. One of the interesting details is the figures of the population that lives on the water. There are 11,246 Chinese living on boats in the Settlement.

It has been agreed to call the new road avenue on the site of the Yangkingpang by the name of Avenue Edward VII. Mr. J. B. Mackinnon, acting secretary of the municipal council, wrote to the authorities of the French Concession asking whether she will touch at Hongkong. The fare for the round trip is Pesos 100, or Pesos 66 for one way.

British king. Mr. Dantin, secretary of the French council, answered that this would be entirely agreeable and for the round trip is Pesos 100, the for one way.

66 for one way.

"Mr. Spitzel," our reporter said yesterday, "what special attractions have you for this Carnival of yours?" "What attractions haven't we?" that, in consonance with the Council's views, it desires to perpetuate the local memory of the illustrious received Mr. Spitzel. Then turning his local memory of the illustrious received.

ostentatiously, he enumerated:

It will be a blessing to escape from winter in Shanghai to the weather we enjoy in Manila. Perfect nights give place to more perfect days.

Art Smith, the aviator whose daring dives and flip-flops at the San Francisco exposition were a menace to weak hearts, will be there to give frequent flying exhibitions.

Special arrangements have been made to make visitors feel as though they owned the town. They will have entry into many of the city's fine clubs. We can put visitors up at the Manila Hotel, the most attractive in the Orient.

To bunch the other inducements, there will be balls, parades, motor polo, the parades of the parades

From an advertisement in another column, it will be seen that Messrs. Landau and Co. will sell at their nuction rooms on Saturday next a quantity of furniture, besides a long line of useful sundries.

Owing to the holidays, the regular monthly tiffin meeting of members of the American Chamber of Commerce of China which was to have been held in the Palace Hotel banquet room today, January 6, has been postponed to Thursday, January 13.

Australia to Mint Own Silver Coinage

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Melbourne, January 3.—The Com-

Rosenstock's Commercial, Directory

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Mr. Grant Jones Has When War Finished

Government Bars It Altogether Uses Alcohol Stocks For Synthetic Rubber

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

To Prohibit Vodka

Petrograd, January 4.-It is an unced that the prohibition of the sale of vodka in Russia will be continued after the war. The Govern ment is attempting to utilise a portion of its stocks of alcohol in the manufacture of synthetic rubber.

GEN. TUAN COMING HERE

uter's Pache Service to The China Press Peking, January 5.—General Tuan Chi-jui has left Peking. It is understood that he has gone to Nanking and Shanghai.

Ask Lansing's Aid For Lieut E.L. Dyer

Washington, December 21 .-- The state department has been asked intercede for Lieutenant Edward L. Dyer, C. A. C., who is held as a German spy by the British authorities at Singapore. The request comes from the secretary of war, who has been officially advised of the detention of the young officer. Dyer was absent on leave at the time of his arrest and he had failed to provide himself with a passport as required by law.

Dyer has been held at Singapore for sometime, having left his station at Corregidor on Septémber 8 for French Indo-China on a hunting trip.

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THE CHINA PRESS

An 'Eye' and An Alibi

When Mr. Grant Jones, British sor, took his place on the bench of the Mixed Court yesterday morning the attorneys in the room eyed him with a fascinated gaze.

"Isn't it a beauty," said one under his voice. And it was a beauty. The assessor had a black eye. Not a mere discoloration, mind you. But one that started at the edge with a conservative shade of iris and traveled through the catalogues of azures until it ended at the center in a pro-found blue black. The attorneys didn't mention the matter, but the assessor

saw what they were looking at.
"I feel," said he, "that I owe some explanation in regard to this eye. It is not the result of a puglistic encounter. I got it at a children's

The curiosity of the lawyers being satisfied, the business of the de

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'All Depends Upon English Workmen'

Lloyd George Says; Task of Turning Out Munitions More Serious Than He Dares Tell

(Reuter's Agency War Service) London, January 4.—The House of Commons has passed the third read-ing of the Munitions Amendment Bil-which meets the objections of trade

which meets the objections of trans-unionists.

Mr. Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, said that the task of turn-ing out munitions was more serious than he dared to tell, Everything depended upon the workmen in England, who alone could achieve victory for the Empire and humanity.

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By Order,

Tientsin, November 1915.

THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

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The attention of parents directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—Upper School, for a day of 6 hours, \$12; Lower Also Vests, Slippers, Nightdresses, etc. School, for a day of 41 hours, \$8; Kindergarten, for a day of 3 hours,

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By order, J. B. MACKINNON, Acting Secretary.

Council Room, Shanghai, January 3, 1916.

Municipal Notification.

No. 2345 PUBLIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

THE School will re open on Thurs day, January 6, at 8.45 a.m.

Forms for the admission of ne pupils may be obtained on application to the Headmistress, and should be presented by the new pupils themselves when attending at the School (28 Boone Road) for examination and admission on points are hereby published for tion to the Headmistress, and should Wednesday January 5, between the hours of 9.30 and 11.30 a.m.

The attention of parents is directed to the following scale of monthly fees:—Upper School.

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For a family of two children a reduction of 20 per cent., and for one of three or more children reduction of 33 g per cent., will be made.

By order, J. B. MACKINNON, Acting Secretary

Council Room,

Shanghai, January 3, 1916. 8304-J-6

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NOTICE

The 6% Internal Loan of the 3rd Year of the Chinese Republic (1914)

The Public are hereby notified that the third payment of interest of the 6% Internal Loan of the 3rd Year of the Chinese Republic (1914) will fall due on the 31st of December of this year, With the exception of the detailed regulations governing the payment of interest of the said loan, which have been published in the Government Gazette and which have been print-

general information: 1. The date when the payment of interest begins:

31st December, 1915. 2. The organs authorised for the

payment of interest: a. All Magistrates' Yamens. b. The Head and Branch Offices of the Bank of China and of the Bank of Com-

> c. The reliable agents of the above mentioned two banks. d. All Maritime Customs

Offices. 3. The methods for the claiming of interest:

The Public when claiming for the interest must cut down the matured coupons and proceed to any of the above mentioned organs with the said coupons. The said organs after examining the said coupons will then pay the interest and retain the coupons so paid. But the holders of \$1,000 Bonds and of \$10,000 Bonds must not cut down the coupons themselves, as the said Bonds have to be examined first by the organs concerned.

The matured coupons can be used as cash in payment of land tax. The interest of the coupons is expressed in terms of "big dollar and if it is required to be converted into taels or copper cash, then the rate of exchange for different districts will be decided and posted in conspicuous places by the various

Financial Bureaux concerned. The Public are requested to read over the detailed regulations governing the payment of interest which are obtainable at all authorised organs above mentioned.

The Chinese Telegraph Administration

NOTICE is hereby given to all parties concerned that the Administration's new Wireless Telegraph Station at Foschow will be open for general public correspondence with ships at sea on and after the 1st of January, 1916.

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Geographical position: Longitude Latitude

Normal Range in Nautical miles: Radiotelegraphic System used with the nature of

transmitting system: Wave-lengths in metres:

Nature of Service per-formed:

Working Hours (China Coast time, 8 hours East of Greenwich):

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Shanghai, 5th January, 1916.

T. K. Tow, Manager.

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Shanghai, 3rd January, 1916, Imperial German Consulate Gen

Special Announcement

The public and all the money shops are hereby notified that the following Chinese moneyshop cheques of Fong Shun (沙夏), drawn by the undersign-

No. 7750, \$50, No. 7751, \$50, No. 7752, \$50, and No. 7753, \$50, they are to be declared null and void.

ed, dated January 9th inst., have

KWANG TEH SHEN (廣得勝) January 4th

In the United States Court for China

Testament of James Nelson Jameson, Deceased.

Pursuant to an order of said Court notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of James Nelson Jameson, deceased, to present the same with vouchers to William P. Lambe, Coadministrator, or Charles Derre McGrath, Co-administrator of his estate, on or before July 6, 1916, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course said Co-administrators.

Mustard and Co., Shanghai, China, January 6, 1916.

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